

Accidents Kill 22 In Michigan Over Weekend

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Michigan, counted at least 18 highway deaths during the weekend to support traffic safety experts' predictions that December will be an especially hazardous month for motorists and pedestrians.

In addition, three men died in an airplane crash and another was fatally injured by a falling tree to bring the number of violent deaths over the weekend to 22.

Bodies In Wreckage

Five traffic victims died in a five-car collision near Pontiac.

A young Detroit and his bride of 12 hours were killed in another highway accident near East Lansing.

The plane crash occurred Sunday night in an onion field along M106 near Stockbridge in southeastern Ingham County. Three charred bodies were found in the burned wreckage.

Hours later police had succeeded in identifying the victims. They were Thomas Whittaker, 23, of Rte 1, Munith, Ed Gilmore, 37, of Gregory, and Royce Porath, about 22, of Munith.

Police believed the plane belonged to Gilmore but said they could not be immediately sure as fire had destroyed identification numbers from the private craft.

Collision On Hill

Killed in the five-car pileup in Oakland County were:

Lynn Best, 27; Charles Nelson, 26; Max Smith, 30; Mrs. Edna Kuck, 31; and Harold Mangum, 21. All were of Oxford.

Best, Nelson, Smith and Mrs. Kuck were passengers in a car driven by Miss Erlene Wagenschutz, 19, Metamore, Miss Wagenschutz, and a fifth passenger, Miss Frances Simpson, 19, of Oxford, were taken in critical condition to Pontiac General Hospital.

Sheriff's deputies said Mangum's car and the auto driven by Miss Wagenschutz crashed head-on on a hill on M24 three-fourths of a mile north of Oxford. Three other cars piled into the wreckage. All the vehicles were knocked from the road by the impact.

Nine small children lost either a father or a mother in the tragedy.

The young honeymoon couple—Marvin R. Foerster, 20, and his bride Rhea Mae, 18, of Detroit—were on their way to Grand Rapids after being married Saturday evening in Detroit. They were trapped in their burning automobile after the vehicle missed a curve and smashed into a tree on US16 three miles east of East Lansing.

Drives Into Ditch
Mrs. Peggy G. Elenbaas, 20, of McBain, was fatally injured Sunday when she drove off a rural road and into a ditch six miles northeast of her home in Missaukee County.

Roland C. Kole, 21, of Hudsonville, was killed and three young companions were seriously injured early Sunday when the car Kole was driving veered off US31 and down a 30-foot embankment about 10 miles north of Holland.

Henry Koppman, 60, of Detroit was killed Saturday night in Detroit while crossing a Detroit street. The motorist failed to stop after the accident.

Miss Agnes P. Grumeretz, 31, of Battle Creek, and James Ducap, nine-month old son of Mr. and Mrs. James G. Ducap, of Davison, were killed in a two-car collision Saturday night on M15 a mile north of Davison in Genesee County.

William L. Geer, 53, of Sylvan Township, Washtenaw County, was killed Sunday when a tree he was cutting split and struck him in the back.

Auto Hit By Train

Mrs. Mildred Antelff, 26, of Rt.

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Weather

Reported by U S Weather Bureau

UPPER MICHIGAN: Mostly fair and cold tonight. Tuesday partly cloudy and not quite so cold.

ESCANABA AND VICINITY: Mostly fair and cold tonight with low temperature around 10°. Tuesday partly cloudy and not quite so cold with high near 30°. Light variable winds tonight, becoming south to southwest 8 to 15 mph Tuesday.

(High yesterday and low today)

ESCANABA: 26° 19°
Low temperatures, past 24 hours
Chicago ... 27 Mpls.-S. Paul 6
Detroit ... 15 Omaha ... 17
Des Moines 15 SS Marie ... 3
Grand Rapids 12 Trav. City ... 0
Indianapolis 19 Portland ... 42
Marquette ... 21 Seattle ... 43
Milwaukee ... 24 Phoenix ... 47
Helena ... 18 S. Lake City 28
Albuquerque 25 S. Francisco 56
Denver ... 24 Memphis ... 30
Galveston ... 51 Okla. City ... 27
Los Angeles 49 St. Louis ... 25
Boston ... 18 Louisville ... 25
Cleveland ... 25 New York ... 22



CUSTOMER DROPS DOWN—While photographing ceremonies at the opening of the Ohio Turnpike, the pilot of this helicopter noticed his craft was running out of gas near New Castle, Pa. So he merely dropped straight to the ground and passengers pushed it to a gas station for refueling. It was one of the station's last customers, for when the turnpike opened the station was forced to close.

Korean War Allies Push Demands On Reds To Free 13 U.S. Airmen

UNITED NATIONS, N. Y. (AP)—The United States scheduled another conference with its 15 Korean War allies today to discuss how to push in the U. N. Assembly for release of U. S. airmen and other Allied personnel in Red China's hands.

The session was expected to decide the language of a resolution to be presented to the Assembly later this week, and whether the

United States would sponsor it alone or be joined by its allies.

Chinese Spurn Overtures

Later in the day the 15-nation Assembly Steering Committee, headed by Assembly President Elcio N. Van Kieffens, was expected to vote overwhelmingly to add the prisoner question to the Assembly work program.

The Allies were prepared to withstand demands by Russia for Red China to be invited here for the debates and then vote for the Assembly to take up the question.

An Assembly session Thursday has already been planned.

One problem facing the Allies was how strong a condemnation of Red China to seek. Another was how to make the U. N. machinery go to work, since the Chinese Communists rejected diplomatic overtures at Geneva and through British channels.

Civilians Included
Over the weekend, a State Department statement indicated the

United States is seeking U. N. action on the two American civilian employees of the Army whose sentences were announced along with the 11 airmen. The civilians, John Downey of New Britain, Conn., and Richard Fecteau, of Lynn, Mass., were captured when their plane was shot down in November 1952, but were not listed in the first American call for U. N. action.

The further memorandum presented here Saturday by U. S. Delegate Henry Cabot Lodge Jr. said prompt and decisive action was needed "to bring about the release of these 11 officers and men (the Air Force group) and all other captured personnel of the U. N. Command still detained."

U. S. sources said all the Korean allies approved the memorandum.

Last Aug. 17 the U. N. Command at Panmunjom demanded an accounting for 2,840 missing Allied soldiers, including 526 Americans, 50 from other Allied forces and 2,264 South Koreans.

Homes Demolished; One Dead, 48 Hurt In Alabama Tornadoes

BIRMINGHAM, Ala. (AP)—Tornadoes dipped suddenly out of leaden skies in eastern Alabama and western Georgia, Sunday and killed one person, injured at least 48 and wrecked scores of homes.

Property losses ran into hundreds

of thousands of dollars. Alabama counted 57 homes destroyed and 100 more damaged while Georgia reported 220 badly battered and some demolished.

Grim Alabama National Guard troops, under orders to shoot if necessary, guarded Wellington's shattered homes against looters while Red Cross and Salvation Army teams aided stricken residents.

Elsewhere in the two-state area, emergency crews worked to replace utility poles and wires.

The off-season tornadoes, spawned when a cold front collided with warm, moist air from the Gulf of Mexico, struck along a 50-mile wide path on either side of the Alabama-Georgia line.

Four violent twisters swirled across 13 rural communities in Alabama while Manchester and Richtland bore the brunt of the storm in Georgia.

The only death reported occurred near Richtland. The 8-year-old daughter of the Rev. James Jones was killed when a tornado demolished the Jones residence. Other members of the family escaped with minor injuries.

At Wellington, a little town 15 miles north of Anniston, and near Opelika, the greatest injury and damage was reported. Twenty-four persons were treated at Anniston Memorial Hospital for storm injuries.

Fire Kills Four At Kewanee, Ill.

KEWANEE, Ill. (AP)—A family of four was wiped out early Sunday when fire destroyed their modest one-story frame house in Kewanee.

Victims of the tragedy were Charles Frantzen, 38-year-old construction worker, his wife, Shirley Woolsey, 19, and their children, Carol, 2, and Richard, 4 months.

Ralph N. Cole, Henry County coroner, said his investigation indicated the fire might have started from a defective oil heater in the kitchen. Neighbors of the Frantzens recalled that the young wife had mentioned the trouble-some heater on several occasions.

The house was already burning fiercely when the fire was discovered about 4:30 a. m. Firemen had no opportunity to rescue the victims, whose charred bodies were found in bed. The parents and the girl were together in a double bed, and the baby was in a carriage a few feet away.

The house was reduced to ashes. A residence next door was saved by firemen after flames from the Frantzen house ignited it.

Largest Ore Vessel In World Launched By U. S. Firm In Japan

KURE, Japan (AP)—An American firm Saturday launched what it described as the largest ore-carrying ship in the world.

The 60,000-ton "Ore Titan," built by the National Bulk Corp. of America, is 795 feet long, 116 feet wide, 56 deep and has two 7,000-horsepower turbines. Outfitting is to be completed next month.

While DeBaggis fought the flames, his wife carried the baby out and put her in an automobile crib.

Young Republicans Give Party Chairman Vote Of Confidence

LANSING (AP)—The Board of Control of the Michigan Federation of Young Republicans has given John Feikens a vote of confidence as Michigan Republican Party chairman.

At a weekend meeting the board approved a resolution endorsing Feikens' handling of the Nov. 2 election campaign even though Democrats swept the state ticket.

Since the GOP defeat at the polls older members of the party have suggested that Feikens be replaced.

The board added, however, the party must define more clearly what it represents and it urged a "new program" to present the party's attitude on state and national issues.

West Berlin Voters Spurn Reds And Nazis

Pope Improved; Gives Blessing From Sickbed

VATICAN CITY (AP)—The Vatican gave new evidence today that Pope Pius XII is continuing to improve, announcing that the ailing pontiff will close the Marian year celebration on Wednesday with a blessing broadcast from his sickbed.

The 78-year-old head of the Roman Catholic Church, still critically ill with gastritis, spoke a similar blessing into a microphone Sunday. It was relayed by loudspeaker from his bedside to a throng of 50,000 in St. Peter's basilica and by the Vatican radio and other networks to much of the world.

The Vatican press spokesman announced today that "the Pope's slow and gradual improvement continues." A Vatican source said earlier that the Pope had spent his third fairly restful night since he rallied from the severe collapse last Thursday which brought grave fears for his life.

Until his illness, the Pope had been scheduled to officiate at the ceremonies Wednesday which will end the special year of celebrations proclaimed by the pontiff in honor of the Virgin Mary. Instead, Clemente Cardinal Micara, the Pope's vicar general for the city of Rome, will celebrate the Pontifical Mass in the city's oldest shrine to the Virgin, the basilica of St. Mary Major.

Prior to his broadcast Sunday, the Pope was able to swallow a little broth. It was the first food he had taken by mouth in a week.

At one point in his short broadcast, the voice of catholicism's stricken leader faded slightly, but mostly he spoke firmly and in cadence.

Car Crash Fatal To Bridal Couple

EAST LANSING (AP)—A young couple driving from their Detroit wedding reception to a Grand Rapids honeymoon met death Sunday in the flaming wreckage of their car while helpless witnesses watched.

Marvin R. Foerster, 20, of St. Clair Shores, and his bride of less than 12 hours, Rhea Mae, 18, died as flames enveloped their car after it missed a curve and crashed into a tree on US16, three miles east of East Lansing.

Ingham County Coroner Harry Leadley said "it was the worst accident I have ever seen. It took two hours to remove the bodies."

Police made identification from the couple's charred marriage certificate.

Detroit friends said the honeymooners left the wedding reception at 1:30 a. m. Sunday and were planning on spending the night in Lansing—four miles from the wreck. They had planned a three-day honeymoon at Grand Rapids.

State Police said they thought Mrs. Foerster was driving.

Houghton Editor Taken By Death

HOUGHTON (AP)—Merv Youngs, 75, an Upper Peninsula newspaperman for over 50 years, died at his Houghton home Saturday following an illness that confined him since last April.

Youngs was editor of the Houghton Mining Gazette for 34 years and a member of that paper's editorial staff since 1905. He started his newspaper career as a reporter for the Marquette Mining Journal.

Surviving is his wife; two daughters, Mrs. Arthur Winters and Mrs. Wayne Briegel, both of Saginaw; a son, Malcolm of San Francisco, and two brothers, Chase and Melvin P. Youngs of Detroit.

Funeral services will be held Tuesday afternoon at Houghton. Burial will be in Forest Hill Cemetery, Houghton.

TODAY'S CHUCKLE

Reputation is character minus what you've been caught doing.

Democrats Think They Can Beat Eisenhower; Butler New Chairman

NEW ORLEANS (AP)—Adlai E. Stevenson today was reported advising party leaders he believes President Eisenhower can be defeated in any 1956 re-election bid if Democrats pound away at what he regards as the unpopularity of the Republican party.

Stevenson's views, as interpreted to those who talked to him during a Democratic rally which ended here Saturday, was that Eisenhower himself is likely to retain for the next two years a measure of the personal popularity which gave the general his sweeping presidential victory over Stevenson in 1952.

Lack of Unity Cited

But Stevenson evidently believes that Republicans will continue to demonstrate in the next two years what Paul M. Butler, Democratic national chairman-elect, Sunday called the GOP's "incapacity to govern."

Butler put the finger directly on Eisenhower at a news conference, asserting:

"We intend to call to the attention of the American people President Eisenhower's lack of capacity to govern and to unite the people. The responsibility is with the



Paul M. Butler

President to see that the nation is united and there is ever-increasing evidence of his lack of capacity to do it."

That language was perhaps a little stronger than Stevenson himself was prepared to use. But the former Illinois governor made it

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Thumb Region Gets 14 Inches Of Snow; Pellston 12 Below

(By The Associated Press)

A frigid wave sent temperatures dropping to as low as 12 below zero in Michigan Sunday night, and snow, measuring up to 14 inches, all but paralyzed the eastern half of the Thumb Monday.

The bone-chilling temperatures will hang around Monday night and Tuesday, but the snow will cease, according to U. S. forecasters.

All the state got at least a smattering of snow overnight, but it was heavy only in the Thumb, which pokes up between Saginaw Bay and Lake Huron on Lower Michigan's eastern side, and in Upper Peninsula spots.

More Cold Tonight

Lows ranging from 10 to 15 in the south to below zero in upstate areas and the Upper Peninsula are forecast for night. And Tuesday's highs are expected to range from 26 to 30 in the southwest to 22 to 26 in the Upper Peninsula.

Highs of 20 to 25 are predicted for the eastern Michigan Tuesday, and 24 to 28 for the northwest portion.

Fair weather, moving in Monday night, will be chased Wednesday by cloudiness, but temperatures are expected to warm up somewhat with the coming of the clouds, the U. S. Weather Bureau said.

St. Clair (Port Huron) County got 14 inches of snow overnight and it still was falling heavily there at 8:30 a. m.

Traffic was moving slowly but getting through there as well as in Sanilac (Sandusky County), which got 3 to 4 inches, and Huron (Bad Axe County), which got up to six

inches. Authorities, however, feared the winds might pile the light, fluffy snow into road-plugging drifts.

Houghton Two Above

Lapeer County, to the west of St. Clair, got only up to an inch in spots, and Tuscola, to the north of Lapeer, got only flurries. Canadian areas bordering the St. Clair River got six or more inches.

Calumet, Marquette and Grand Marais, all in the Upper Peninsula got 7 inches of snow yesterday and last night.

Pelleston, 18 miles south of the Straits of Mackinac, was the nation's coldest spot overnight with 12-below zero.

Traverse City had an even zero, and it was only one-above at Cadillac and Kinross Air Force Base, south of Sault Ste. Marie.

Other overnight lows included: Houghton, 2; Gladwin, 11; Grand Rapids and Battle Creek, 12; Sault Ste. Marie, 13; Lansing, Jackson and Flint, 14; Detroit and Saginaw 15; Ypsilanti 17, and Marquette, 21.

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HONG KONG (AP)—Squadron Leader Andrew R. (Andy) MacKenzie, a Canadian flier shot down in the Korean War and just freed from imprisonment in Red China, says the Chinese are still holding some American war prisoners in his prison camp.

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Socialists Win; Pledge Unity To Repulse Russia

BERLIN (AP)—The antirearmament Socialists won a one-vote majority in West Berlin's parliament today but promised to govern the Soviet-encircled city in partnership with Chancellor Konrad Adenauer's Christian Democratic Union.

Municipal spokesmen of the two leading parties warmly agreed they must establish a strong new democratic coalition here under the shadow of the Russian army, regardless of their partisan quarrels in West Germany over foreign policy.

Communists Draw Blank

The mammoth turnout of 1,554,766 voters for Sunday's election—91.6 per cent of those eligible—gave the Socialists 64 seats, the Christian Democrats 44 and the Free Democrats 19. The lineup for the past four years had been 61 Socialists, 34 Christian Democrats and 32 Free Democrats.

Since the death last year of Socialist Mayor Ernst Reuter, Christian Democrat Walter Schreiber had headed a coalition administration from his party and the Free Democrats.

The Berliners strongly repudiated the Communists and the Nazi-tainted German party. Both extremist parties failed to win a seat. The Reds received only 2.7 per cent of the total vote and the German parties 4.8 per cent.

Free Democrats Slip

Cries of "police terror" came from Communist propagandists to explain their party's debacle.

The Christian Democrats increased their vote from 24.6 per cent of the 1950 vote to 30 per cent this time. But the Socialists, traditionally dominant in Berlin, wound up with 44 per cent, just under their 44.7 per cent of four years ago.

Parliament's third party, the Adenauer-allied Free Democrats, suffered a drastic fall, from 23 per cent in 1950 to 12.7 per cent.

Federal Employees Get Full Day Off Before Christmas

WASHINGTON (AP)—President Eisenhower came up today with a holiday gift for federal employees—a full day off the day before Christmas and a half day on Dec. 31 in advance of New Year's Day.

The President signed an executive order providing for the time off for workers in the District of Columbia and in federal agencies elsewhere in the country.

The order applies to all employees except the few whose jobs make it necessary for them to work over the holidays, such as some of those employed at government hospitals.

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Retired Chrysler Sales Director Dies

DETROIT (AP)—Earl B. Wilson, 70, longtime sales director of the Chrysler Corp.'s Chrysler Division, died Saturday. He retired in 1949.

Wilson began his career as a salesman for the John Deere Plow Co., and entered the automobile business in 1915 as sales manager of Buick's Chicago branch. In 1919 he was named sales director of Buick in Flint.

A year later he was named sales manager of the newly formed Chrysler Motor Co. He left Chrysler in 1922 to become vice president and general manager of Peerless Co. in Cleveland. He rejoined Chrysler in 1925.

All May Vote On Revised Charter Ballot Tuesday

Escanaba voters will go to the polls Tuesday, Dec. 9, to vote for or against adoption of a revised charter for the city of Escanaba. Polls will open at 7 a. m. and will close at 8 p. m.

All registered voters of Escanaba are qualified to vote in the charter election. Ownership of taxable property is not a requisite to voting.

Purpose of the election is to have the voters of Escanaba adopt or reject the proposed revised charter for the city, which was drafted by a nine-member Charter Revision Commission. The Charter Commission was elected by the people on April 6, 1953, and the proposed revised charter was drafted after numerous public meetings and hearings.

Carl E. Sawyer is chairman of the Charter Revision Commission and its other members are: Miss Nina Ley, Hilmer Johnson, Lowell Hebbard, George Embs, Mrs. Kay Gunderson, Atty. Wheaton Strom, Lander Johnson and Donald Moreau.

Polling places for the charter election are the same as for other elections, as follows:

Precinct 1—Carnegie Public Library; Precinct 2—Franklin School; Precinct 3—City Hall; Precinct 4—Jefferson School; Precinct 5—Junior High School; Precinct 6—Barr School; Precinct 7—North Escanaba fire station; Precinct 8—Webster School; Precinct 9—Senior High School.

Stoll Receives Cup At M&M Yacht Dinner

C. W. Stoll, owner of the schooner "Rose of Sharon", received the M&M Yacht Club's E. P. Smith Trophy at a dinner in Menominee Saturday evening. The trophy is awarded the Class A winner in the twin cities' 100-Mile Race, an event which attracts several famous sailboats to Green Bay each summer.

Stoll's win last August brings the Smith Trophy to Escanaba for the first time since 1944 when Ed Erickson won the trophy. The handsome cup is on display at the Chamber of Commerce office on Ludington Street.

Attending the winners' dinner at Menominee with Mr. and Mrs. Stoll were Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Shepek. Several members of the Escanaba Yacht Club—Commodore and Mrs. Russell Johnson and son David, Secretary and Mrs. John J. Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. John Anthony, and Mr. and Mrs. James Fritzharris—also were present for the occasion.



The gal who puts off shopping till she has to push and toil knows first hand the feeling Of a sardine—minus oil.

Three Injured When Cars Collide; One Motorist Pays Fine

Three persons were injured, none seriously, when a car and a station wagon collided at 5:22 p. m. Saturday in the 2400 block, Ludington St., and the driver of the car was arrested for reckless driving.

Robert D. Boone, 25, of Milwaukee, pleaded guilty to the charge when arraigned Saturday in Justice Henry Ranguette's court, and paid a fine of \$25 and costs of \$5.

Police reported that Boone was traveling east on Ludington at high speed and hit a station wagon driven by Rena Joan Plum, 23, of Milwaukee. She suffered a bruised right knee, and Boone's knee was bruised.

Still in St. Francis Hospital for treatment today is Calvin Plum, 29, a passenger in the station wagon, who suffered a neck injury. His condition was reported today as "fair."

Briefly Told

Recreation Board—The City Recreation Board will meet Wednesday evening at 7:30 at the City Hall council chambers.

Odd Fellows—Impellant Lodge No. 460 will hold its regular meeting tonight at 8 at the Odd Fellows Hall. Visiting Odd Fellows are invited.

Cub Pack 411—A meeting of the members of Cub Scout Pack 411 will be held at 8 tonight at the Jefferson school. Parents of all Cub Scouts are urged to attend.

Motorists Ticketed—Escanaba police have issued traffic violation tickets to the following motorists: William C. Shea, 1509 Sheridan Road, expired chauffeur's license; James R. Myers, 1220 S. 15th St., disobeying traffic signal; Francis C. Kidd, 1710 Ludington St., speeding; Victor Sopina, Escanaba Rte. 1, disobeying traffic signal; Russell E. Florey, Canton, Ohio, disobeying stop sign; Donald J. LaPine, Escanaba Rte. 1, disobeying traffic signal; Louis F. Richards, 809 S. 19th St., improper backing.

Since the first U. S. Diesel-powered streamline train was put in operation in 1934, that train has traveled over 2½ million miles.

Sawyer Asks Vote For New Charter

Urging voters to vote in favor of the new city charter in the election tomorrow, Carl J. Sawyer, chairman of the city charter commission, explained its advantages and changes from the old charter in an interview this morning.

"Because of changes in state law, in living conditions and in city problems since the old charter was adopted 33 and a half years ago, it was decided by the people that the charter should be revised," Sawyer said.

"So at the April election of 1953 a commission was elected to make a study and recommend changes that would bring the charter up to date."

"The present charter commission is a good cross section of the community and in the main were people who had lived here all their lives."

Year And Half Study

Sawyer said the old charter was adopted July 5, 1921, when government by charter was "practically a new idea," taking the form of the central-manager form of city government. "It was intended to take politics out of city matters," he added.

The new charter commission studied the old charter and also the new Marquette and Sault Ste. Marie charters; they studied local problems and municipal law and eventually came up with the new charter to be voted on tomorrow. The commission spent a year and a half of hard work and study on the new charter, it was pointed out.

"The only change in appointment of personnel called for in the new charter is that the council now appoints the city attorney," the chairman said. "The city manager has no more authority than before and is directly responsible to the city council whose members represent the people."

One of the innovations in the new charter, he pointed out, is provision for a municipal court.

Will Save Money

"After full investigation, the charter commission feels that this change will save money for the city," he said.

"The present state law allows a justice court jurisdiction in cases up to \$300 while a municipal court has jurisdiction in cases up to \$500."

"This will reduce city and county costs of circuit court operation very much and should result in greater remuneration to the city. Another advantage is that the new charter requires that a member of the legal profession serve as municipal judge."

Sawyer emphasized that "with a municipal court, all fines and costs go into the city treasury. In state cases, costs are borne by the city but the city receives the fines."

In recent years, he pointed out, Sault Ste. Marie, Marquette, Menominee, Iron Mountain, Ironwood, River Rouge, Owosso, Holland, Benton Harbor, Munroe, Lincoln Park, Grosse Point, Muskegon Heights, Mount Clemens and Traverse City have adopted the municipal court system.

No Costs To City

"I don't think they can all be wrong," he said.

Sawyer said that a criticism of

the municipal court in an advertisement in the Saturday issue of the Escanaba Daily Press pertained "only to parking violations, which is an ordinance matter."

The charter commission chairman said "we have been told the new Marquette charter was written by the Michigan Municipal League at a cost of several thousand dollars but the present Escanaba charter commission worked over a year and prepared the new charter at no charge to the City of Escanaba."

While the commission was at work, he concluded, the public was requested to make suggestions and attend meetings, and information on progress was published so that the people would know what was being accomplished.

He said also that the entire charter was published so that voters would have ample opportunity to study it before the election tomorrow.

Earmuffs Silence Unwanted Programs

DES MOINES (AP)—Miss Nina Neal has a pair of felt earmuffs for use when she settles down for an evening of television.

When a program doesn't interest her, she dons the ear muffs and reads a book until something comes along that she wants to watch. She says the ear muffs keep the television sound from distracting her from her book.

Jaycees Will Hear State President At Meeting Tonight

The Escanaba Junior Chamber of Commerce will meet at 9:15 tonight at the House of Ludington to hear an address by Paul Baldwin of Howell, Michigan president of the Junior Chamber of Commerce, who is on a tour of the Upper Peninsula.

The meeting has been called for the late hour to permit Jaycees who are employed in stores an opportunity to attend after stores close. It is not a dinner meeting.

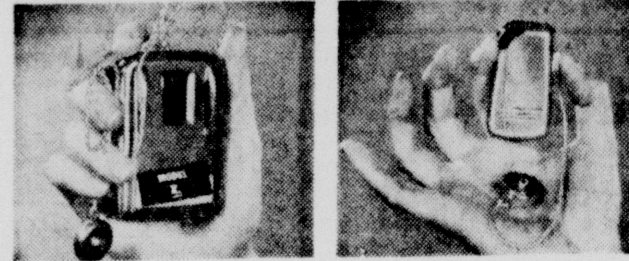
President Baldwin, who is making his annual official visit to Junior Chamber of Commerce Clubs, is expected to be greeted here by a large turnout of members, said Jack Manning.

Sponsors of the Christmas toy drive in cooperation with Escanaba firemen, the Jaycees are asked either to bring a toy or a \$1 gift to the meeting tonight. Dr. Harlan Beers requests those who have toys to contribute to the drive to take them to the fire stations in Escanaba, where firemen will repair them.

The new and used toys thus collected will go to the Salvation Army to be given out to children of needy families at Christmas-time.

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by Melton McGovern, Graduate of National Institute of Dry Cleaning.



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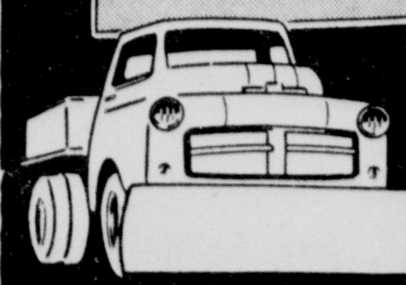
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5:00—Just Plain Bill
5:15—Lorenzo Jones
5:30—Here's Music
5:45—It Pays To Be Married

which was designed primarily to help newly-elected officers of the three clubs who will begin their duties Jan. 1.

After the conference, which set a record for attendance, the Kiwanis leaders and visiting wives were served a buffet dinner at the House of Ludington.

Addition of two new clubs to the Upper Peninsula Kiwanis roster has been set as one of the objectives for 1955.

Kiwanis Officials Attend School In Escanaba Sunday

Officers of Upper Peninsula Kiwanis Clubs attended a school of instruction conducted in Escanaba Sunday by Fred Johnson of Escanaba, lieutenant governor-elect of the Kiwanis peninsula division. Attending the conference were delegations from Marquette, Iron Mountain and Escanaba. The Rev. John Alford of Marquette, present lieutenant governor, assisted in conducting the school.

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Leo Couture Of Seney Is Dead

MANISTIQUE — Leo B. Couture, 29, of Seney, died unexpectedly at 7 p. m. Saturday at the home of John Holmes where he lived. Coroner Edward V. Jackson said he apparently suffered a heart attack. Mr. Couture had been ill about a week.

A woodsman, Mr. Couture had lived in Seney for a year. Before that he was a resident of Forest Lake and Marquette.

He leaves six sisters, Mrs. Harley Stankovich and Mrs. Gerald Savoy of Munising, Mrs. Catherine Hendrickson of Marquette, Mrs. Margaret Pierson of Milwaukee and the Misses Florence and Irene Couture of Escanaba. Also surviving are his mother, Mrs. Mabel Williams of Tawas City, Mich., and two brothers Arthur of Marquette and Frank of Oregon.

The body was taken to the Bowerman and Hallifax Funeral Home in Munising where friends may call Tuesday evening.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p. m. Wednesday from the funeral home with the Rev. Fr. George Pernaski officiating. Burial will be in Maple Grove Cemetery.

Amanda Beckstrom Dies At Age Of 78

Amanda J. Beckstrom, 78, of 1221 N. 21st St., passed away Saturday at 11:30 p. m. at St. Francis Hospital. She was the widow of Arvid Beckstrom.

Born Dec. 1, 1876 at Burholm, Vesterboten, Sweden, she came to Escanaba in 1903 and has resided in this city over 50 years. She was a member of Bethany Lutheran Church, the Order of Runeberg, Royal Neighbors, Morning Star and Evening Star.

Surviving are three sons, Hjalmer J. Norrell, Chicago, Harold J. Norrell and Welmer Beckstrom, Escanaba; three daughters, Mrs. Harvey (Ingrid) Strohl, Chicago, Mrs. Clarence (Olga) Kasten, Escanaba, and Mrs. Donald (Doris) McGee, Benton Harbor; a brother and sister in Sweden, 16 grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

Friends may begin calling today at the Anderson Funeral Home.

Funeral services will be held Tuesday at 1:30 p. m. at the Anderson Funeral Home chapel with the student pastor, Donald Nelson, of Bethany Lutheran Church officiating. Burial will be made in Lakeview Cemetery.

Wallet, \$89, Lost By Woman Shopper

Mrs. Walter Carlson of 1605 8th Ave. S. was the victim Saturday afternoon of a thief who removed her wallet containing \$89.19 from her purse while she was shopping in an Escanaba store, she reported to police.

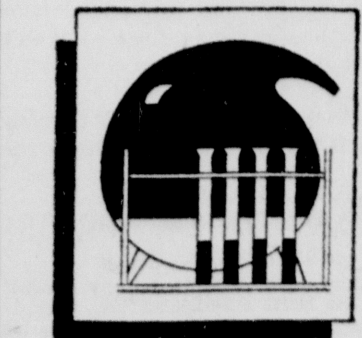
Police said Mrs. Carlson told them she was in Ward's Store and left her purse on a counter for a few minutes while she walked to another counter about 15 feet away. She returned to find her purse had been opened and the wallet containing the money had been removed.

The incident occurred at 4:58 p. m. Police are continuing their investigation.

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TWO ESCANABANS, Ed Harkins Sr. and A. J. Manley, were presented with pins symbolizing 50 years membership in the Knights of Columbus Saturday night. The presentations were made by District Deputy Walter Bjorkquist.

They are the first Michigan K-C's to win 50-year membership pins. Left to right above are Bjorkquist, Harkins and Manley. (Juetten Photo)

Escanaba Press First To Publish Ad For Zenith

The Escanaba Daily Press is scoring a first in a new advertising program being launched today.

The Press is the first and only newspaper in the United States today to run a Zenith hearing aid advertisement scheduled by the Zenith Radio Corporation, Chicago, Ill.

Arrangements for this were made by Kenneth Voght, proprietor of Meads, 618 Ludington St.

The advertisement will be run in some other United States dailies later, Voght said.

Social-Club

Karen's Party
Karen Anderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Anderson of 916 Sheridan Road, celebrated her ninth birthday anniversary Saturday afternoon with a party at her home.

Lunch was served at a table decorated in a Christmas holiday theme, and centered by a yellow and green cake. Karen received many gifts from her friends attending the party, who were:

Diane and Linda Johnson, Bonnie Saze, Lana Lehigh, Bonnie West, Diane Sparapani, Sandra Stacevich and Karen's brother, Tommy.

SPECIAL ELECTION

To the Qualified Electors of the
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Notice is Hereby Given, that a
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December 7th,
1954**

at the respective polling places
hereinafter designated:

- 1st PRECINCT—Carnegie Public Library Bldg., Cor. 1st Ave. S. & 7th St.
- 2nd PRECINCT—Southeast Room, Basement of Franklin School, Entrance on 2nd Avenue South.
- 3rd PRECINCT—City Hall Building, corner 11th Street and 1st Avenue South.
- 4th PRECINCT—Basement of Jefferson School Building, corner 2nd Avenue South and 15th Street.
- 5th PRECINCT—Junior High School Building, Room adjoining Entrance, Corner 1st Avenue North and North 15th Street.
- 6th PRECINCT—Barr School Building, Corner 5th Avenue South and South 13th Street.
- 7th PRECINCT—Fire Station No. 2 on Sheridan Road.
- 8th PRECINCT—Webster School Gymnasium, Entrance on 12th Ave. N.
- 9th PRECINCT—Room adjoining South Entrance to High School Building, 9th Avenue South and 11th Street.

For the purpose of voting
on the following
proposition:

The adoption of the proposed revised charter for the City of Escanaba as drafted by the Charter Revision Commission elected on April 6, 1953 and published in the Escanaba Daily Press on November 15, 1954.

All qualified registered electors of the City of Escanaba shall be entitled to vote at this special election.

NOTICE RELATIVE TO OPENING AND CLOSING OF THE POLLS

Section 1. On the day of any election the polls shall be opened at 7 o'clock in the forenoon and shall be continued open until 8 o'clock in the afternoon and no longer. Every qualified elector present and in line at the polls at the hour prescribed for the closing thereof shall be allowed to vote.

George M. Harvey,
City Clerk

Hospital

Joey Cousineau, 7, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cousineau, 408 S. 6th St., was admitted to St. Francis Hospital as a medical patient Sunday. His brother, Tommy, was dismissed yesterday.

Wreck Of Airliner Kills 29 In Laos

PARIS (AP)—Twenty-nine people are believed to have been killed in an airplane crash Saturday near Luang Prabang, the capital of the Indochinese kingdom of Laos, the French News Agency reported today.

The plane, which belonged to Compagnie Air-Laos, was making the first commercial flight from Vientiane to Muong Sing Via Luang Prabang and Nam Tha. It was carrying 26 passengers and 3 crew members.

Faints At Wheel; Woman Is Injured

Mrs. David Moyle, 225 S. 24th St., is receiving treatment in St. Francis Hospital for minor injuries received in an accident occurring Saturday afternoon near her home when she fainted at the wheel of the family station wagon. Her condition was reported as "good" today at the hospital.

Police who investigated the accident said Mrs. Moyle's foot apparently jammed on the gas pedal of the car when she fainted. The car went for a total distance of 315 feet, through two ditches, and backed into a tree.

Mrs. Moyle was seated in the station wagon in a dazed condition when police arrived. An ambulance was summoned and she was taken to the hospital.

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EITHER ELECTRIC RATES OR TAXES WOULD HAVE TO GO UP

If The City Builds An Electric Generating Plant

A GAIN we quote from the two engineering reports on a City-owned electric system.

A CCORDING to the Consoer-Townsend report, it would be necessary to increase electric rates an average of 14% to enable a City-owned electric plant to operate at a profit and pay into the City general fund less than half the amount that has been paid in recent years.

A CCORDING to the Stone and Webster report, a City plant would operate at a loss with present electric rates.

T HE conclusions from the two reports are the same—a City-owned electric plant cannot operate at a profit with present electric rates when all proper costs are taken into consideration.

T HE Consoer-Townsend report provides for an annual payment of \$100,000 to the City by the electric utility. This would be raised by the 14% rate increase.

T HE Stone and Webster report shows a loss of nearly \$100,000 a year by the proposed City-owned plant under present rates.

T HESE two reports agree—a City-owned plant would prove unprofitable to the City. Either electric rates would have to go up—or the plant would have to be supported by taxes.

GREATER ESCANABA COMMITTEE

Gust Asp — Chairman

Parole Violator Arrested After Seven-Mile Chase

State police and sheriff department officers caught up with Bruce Kins, 20, a parole violator from the Illinois penitentiary at Pontiac, Ill., but not before Kins had given the officers a merry chase through swamp land in the St. Nicholas-Cornell area yesterday.

The police were searching for a man wanted for passing bad checks. The description of Kins closely fitted the description of the man wanted on the false check charge.

The search started at the John Verbrigghe farm at St. Nicholas and wound up five hours later at the Rene Verbrigghe farm, only a quarter mile away but in the meantime Kins and the officers traversed a distance of more than seven miles. He was finally located in a potato warehouse.

Kins was paroled to Kokoma, Ind., from the Illinois prison and was sought as a parole violator, sheriff department officials said.

Church Events

Immanuel Church

The Immanuel church council will meet at 7:30 this evening in the church.

St. Stephen's Guild

Members of St. Stephen's Guild, St. Stephen's Episcopal Church, will meet at 2 p. m. Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Carl Wickman, 900 Lake Shore Drive. All members are expected to attend the meeting for the election of officers.

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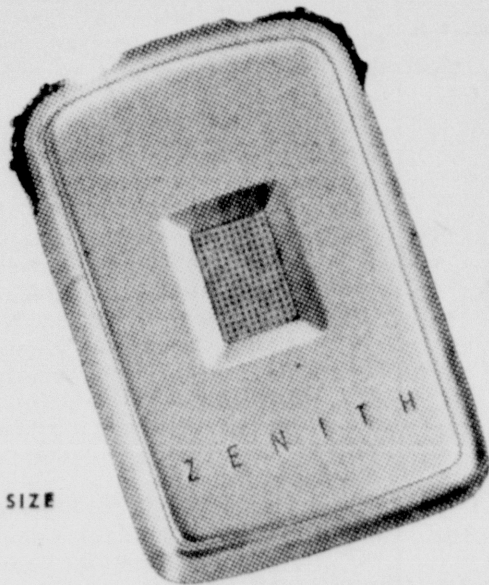
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Discover for yourself the superb performance of the new Zenith "75-X". Try the aid at home, work, church, anywhere, without risking a penny . . . you must be completely satisfied! And here's more good news: the "75-X" can be purchased on an easy time-payment plan.

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Editorials—

Be Sure To Vote In Special Charter Election On Tuesday

THE Escanaba Press strongly recommends a "Yes" vote on the adoption of a new charter in tomorrow's special election.

The proposed new charter has been carefully drawn by the special charter revision committee. Members of this committee devoted many, many hours of their time in studying all phases of city government. They conducted numerous hearings to elicit information concerning civic problems. And finally the committee drafted the charter that is being presented to the voters in Tuesday's election.

The proposed charter is modern in

Words, Wit & Wisdom

By William Morris

Just a few days ago we were talking about acronyms—words made up of the initial letters or groups of letters of several other words. During World War II we all became familiar with such acronyms as SHAEF — Supreme Headquarters Allied Expeditionary Forces—as well as such service designations as WAC, SPAR and WAVE which were so widely used that most people forgot, if they ever knew, that they were acronymic abbreviations of more elaborate phrases.

In post war years, the tendency to provide new governmental operations with elaborate labels which lend themselves to readily pronounceable abbreviations, has become the rule rather than the exception. When we established the first joint peace-time alliance in western Europe, it was named, to virtually nobody's surprise, SHAPE — from Supreme Headquarters Allied Powers (Europe).

The coining of acronyms is not without its hazards, though, as some allied diplomats recently discovered. After the recent conference in Brussels, on which Secretary Dulles reported so eloquently in the first televised cabinet meeting, it was decided to set up a new defense alliance to implement the decisions arrived at there. Logically enough, the word-coiners hit upon Brussels Treaty Organization for the name of the alliance, because, among other things, a beautifully simple acronym could be made from the title—BRUTO.

There were some red faces and a hasty change of title, though, when an Italian attending the conference pointed out that in his language "bruto" means either "brutal" or "ugly". So now the organization is called simply the Western European Union—and I'd like to see anyone make a pronounceable acronym out of that!

Incidentally, my candidate for the most preposterous acronym is one chosen by some of our leading physicists to describe a projected earth-circling rocket, which they describe as "less expensive and less dangerous than the space platform" which has long been discussed by other physicists. The name of this new space weapon is to be Minimum Orbital Unmanned Satellite of the Earth—surely an impressive label. But the acronymic designation from this name seems to me downright silly. They call it MOUSE—and its development is part of a program called OPERATION MOUSE!

Try And Stop Me By BENNETT CERF

The late Roland Young was not only a comedy star for many years on Broadway, but has to his credit a number of poems that are still quoted in the best anthologies. Here, for instance, are his thoughts on the Goat:

The Billy goat's a handsome gent
But has a most far-reaching scent.
The Nanny goat is quite a belle
Let's hope she has no sense of smell!

Sam Himmell overheard a Scarsdale lady admonish her son, "Richard, don't ever use such bad words again."

"But Mama," he protested, "Shakespeare used them too."

Mama snapped, "Then don't play with Shakespeare any more."



The Doctor Says... Twins' Health, Intelligence About Same As Single Birth

By EDWIN P. JORDAN, M. D. — Written for NEA Service

There has always been an enormous interest in twins and indeed even more in triplets, quadruplets and quintuplets. Twins have figured in literature and history; Jacob and Esau, Romulus and Remus, and Castor and Pollux to mention only a few.

There are many curious things about twins. For one thing they seem to run in families and a couple which has had twins once is much more likely to have them again. For another the having of twins is more common among some people than others—among Americans, for example, it is much more frequent than among Japanese. Another strange thing about double births is that it is less common among Americans now than it was twenty years ago; the chances that twins will be born is about once in every 98 births as compared with once in 85 twenty years ago.

THERE ARE THREE varieties of twins. In one a single egg is fertilized by a single spermatozoon and this leads to twins which must be of the same sex and which are known as "identical." These have strikingly identical similar experiences during life, even including susceptibility to disease.

The second main type occurs when two eggs are fertilized by two spermatozoa. Twins of this type are just as likely to be of opposite sex as any other brother or sisters and are spoken of as fraternal

twins. Except for the fact that they have identical birthdays they may differ from each other as much as any other brothers and sisters in both physical and mental qualities.

The final type of twin is that in which a single egg divides before it has been fertilized by the spermatozoon so that the identical eggs are fertilized by non-identical spermatozoa. These twins which are not identical are more alike than fraternal twins since half of their heredity is identical.

TWINS AND OTHER multiple children are more likely to be born prematurely. The weight of twins is likely to be considerably less on the average than the weight of children born singly and they may be relatively poorly developed at the time of birth in other respects. For this reason there is a greater chance of death in infancy for twins than for single children so that the proportion of twins in the dual population is less than the proportion at the time of birth.

IN GENERAL, twins are neither more nor less intelligent or healthy than those who are born singly. The only difference between them is in the comparatively unusual nature of the division and fertilization of the egg from which they spring. Parents of twins of any kind, however, are certainly faced with an exceptionally lively set of problems.

Today In Washington

By DAVID LAWRENCE

WASHINGTON—There's all the difference in the world between the use of the word "censure" in a formal resolution by the United States Senate and an expression of opinion that "condemns" a senator's conduct.

The word "censure" is a legal term which approximates legal contempt, and, although the Watkins committee in its report on Senator McCarthy used the words "contemptuous" and "contumacious," as well as "censure," it abandoned such words when the chips were down and settled for the word "condemn."

This is in line with precedent. For the ablest constitutional lawyers in the Senate's history have held that the Senate cannot "punish" a member except for "disorderly behavior" and that the word "punish," as used in the constitution, means the actual meting out of some form of punishment. Thus, the word "censure" has been used only twice in the history of the Senate and on both occasions when members had engaged in a fist fight on the floor of the Senate. Never has there been a punishment or a "censure" administered for mere language used. Indeed, the Supreme Court once ruled that the House of Representatives couldn't punish a U. S. attorney for derogatory language about a member because mere language was not obstructive of the legislative process.

PUZZLING WINDUP

Perhaps the most powerful argument on this point was made by Gilbert Roe, attorney for the elder Senator La Follette, who convinced Senator Thomas Walsh of Montana, Democrat, a famous constitutional lawyer, that, while the Senate may expel a member for any reason, it could not "censure" him for anything except disorderly conduct on the floor of the Senate. Disorderly conduct elsewhere, he contended, was a misdemeanor punishable only by the courts of law.

The wind-up of the Senate debate on the resolution of condemnation leaves many senators themselves puzzled. They have rebuked Senator McCarthy for what he said about the Senate subcommittee before which he refused to testify in 1951 and 1952. Yet the elder Senator La Follette also refused to testify on a matter of his own conduct and ignored the committee's requests and invitations.

In the present instance, another Wisconsin senator who did virtually the same thing is reprimanded by resolution. One reason is that Senator McCarthy personally offended many senators by his recent criticism of the Watkins committee itself. As for the treatment of General Zwicker by Senator McCarthy, the Senate dropped all mention of the episode.

UNPRECEDENTED DECISION

While formal "censure" on all counts was abandoned, an unprecedented decision now has been made by a majority of the Senate that any member of a minority may be rebuked by resolution for expressing opinions unpalatable to the majority, particularly about its committees.

This is something unheard of in the history of the United States Senate from its very beginning. That's why Senators Knowland and Hickenlooper, Republicans, warned that freedom of speech for senators was being curtailed by such an action.

The battle over the so-called "censure" resolution has left deep wounds. The Republican party divided 22 to 22 on the final vote. The line-up for McCarthy looks very much like the pro-Taft group before the 1952 convention, and the anti-McCarthy roll call on the Republican side is reminiscent of the pro-Eisenhower faction.

As for the Democrats, they made the political mistake of lining up solidly against Senator McCarthy. This was a tactical error, because obviously there were differences of opinion among them, as some of the votes on the amendment showed. But for party strategy reasons they held together and presented a solid political line-up.

This gives some of the Republican stump speakers a chance throughout the country to repeat their charge that the Democratic party is more interested in punishing a senator who fights communism than it is in fighting communism itself.

As for intertemperate language, the Democrats who accepted the Bennett amendment, which "condemns" Senator McCarthy for saying the Watkins committee was the "unwitting handmaiden of the Communist party," will find it embarrassing to defend themselves on their vote. For President Truman in a public speech in 1948 declared the Republican party to be the "unwitting ally of the Communist party," and Congress neither censured nor condemned him for saying so, though either house could have done so.

These epithets will not die with the debate but will be heard for a long time as the battle goes to the country. Inside the Democratic party it will in time produce the same kind of split on the McCarthy issue that the Republican party has experienced.

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The small bolt found in a fruitcake by a Minnesota woman probably was put in by mistake with the nuts.

With trailer homes so popular, our roads must come in handy for cocktail shaking.

Into The Past

10 YEARS AGO

Escanaba—Marine Pfc. C. R. DePas, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eligher DePas, of Wilson, was given prominence in the national press headlines for having, singlehanded, killed 20 of the enemy in an encounter on Guam.

Escanaba — Miss Betty Jean VanEffen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. August VanEffen, became the bride of Louis Tryan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Tryan, at a ceremony at St. Patrick's Church.

Escanaba—Miss Nancy Hughitt, daughter of Mrs. Grace Hughitt, 323 Ogden Ave., was married to John M. Murray, son of Mr. and Mrs. John D. Murray, 410 South Ninth. The wedding took place in Ann Arbor.

20 YEARS AGO

Escanaba—A total of 64 new catch basins for carrying away surface water have been installed in various parts of the city as part of the street improvement program.

"Yes, Sir! Come in, Sir! Next Sir!"



Air Pioneer de Havilland, 72, Watches His Dreams Collapse

By TOM A. CULLEN

LONDON —(NEA)—In an oak-paneled office just outside London, Sir Geoffrey de Havilland, 72, one of the world's great air pioneers, watches his dreams come crashing down around his gray head.

For Sir Geoffrey is the maker of the ill-fated Comet jet airliners, now the subject of the most exhaustive probe in the history of aviation.

To ordinary Britons the Comet was the proud symbol of Britain's supremacy in the airways of the world. Flying 500 m.p.h. at 40,000 feet, it could span London to New York in six hours.

But to fall, erect Sir Geoffrey, it was the climax of a career, a vision of ever faster and safer air travel come true.

Then disaster struck. In the blue skies above the Mediterranean two Comets exploded early this year, sending 56 passengers to their deaths. Remaining Comets were grounded and the present inquiry opened.

Today, Sir Geoffrey finds himself not only in the midst of human suffering, but faced with financial loss and an uncertain future.

But like all pioneers, he knows that progress must be bought with blood and treasure. He, himself, has already paid the heavy price with the loss of two sons.

In 1943 his son John was killed while testing one of the 6700 Mosquitos which de Havilland turned out during the war. John's plane collided with another in mid-air.

Only three years later death came to the second son, Capt. Geoffrey de Havilland, brilliant flier and chief test pilot for the company. The experimental Swallow which he was flying at the time near the speed of sound broke up over the Thames Estuary.

Now, as Sir Geoffrey faces up to a new crisis in his life, the scene shifts to a conference room in Whitehall. Sir Geoffrey is no longer the main actor in the drama.

The stage belongs to Sir Arnold Hall, Britain's top aviation scientist, who solved the mystery of Comet Yoke Peter that exploded off the island of Elba in January this year.

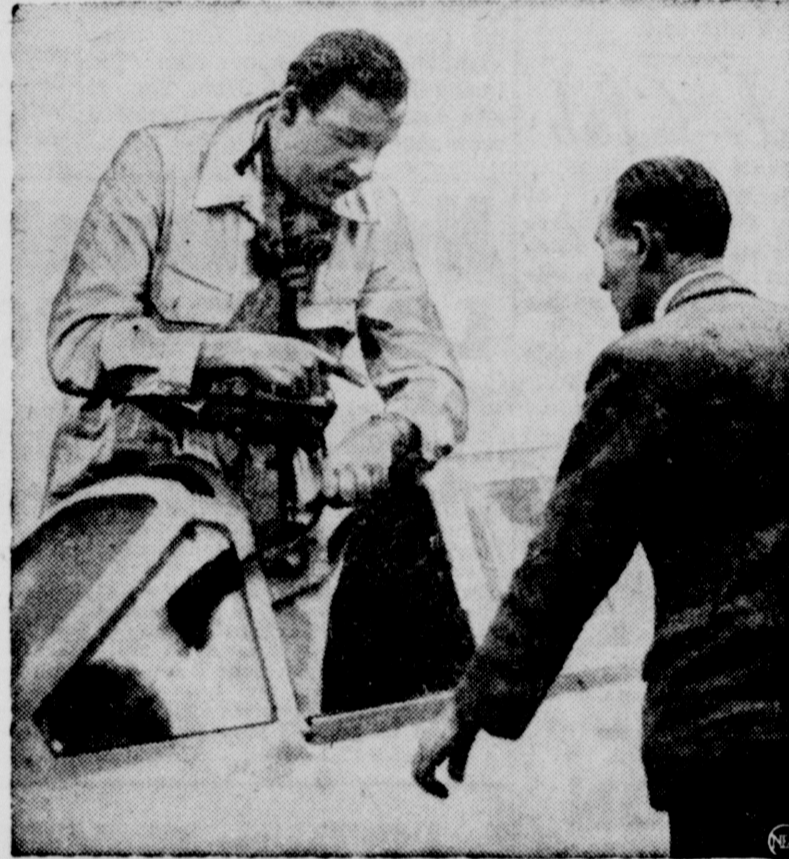
Sir Arnold Hall has never worn a deer-stalker cap. Nor has he ever examined the whorls of a bloody fingerprint with the aid of a magnifying glass.

Yet youngish (39), pipe-smoking Sir Arnold is a worthy successor to Sherlock Holmes. And it was by following Holmes' methods that he finally tracked down the killer.

After studying the twisted bits of Comet Yoke Peter, fished from the sea, Sir Arnold eliminated the suspects, one by one: sabotage, wind buffeting, fuel explosion, abnormal cabin pressure.

All the evidence pointed to "metal fatigue" (failure of metal after repeated straining) as the killer. But Sir Arnold could not be sure.

His staff constructed a transparent plastic model of Yoke Peter's cabin, filled it with seats and dummy passengers, then pumped it full of air to equal the pressure (8 1/4 pounds per square



GEOFFREY DE HAVILLAND, second son of British aviation leader to die in air, was killed in 1946—testing one of his father's jet creations. Here, de Havilland is shown before embarking on test flight a few days before he died.

inch) inside a Comet's cabin when it is flying at 40,000 feet.

Then Sir Arnold deliberately ruptured the skin of the cabin fuselage to simulate a crack in "fatigued" metal, took movies of what happened. The results were gruesome. The cabin burst like a balloon, shooting passengers and seats into the air.

These findings checked with the condition of the bodies recovered from the sea after Yoke Peter exploded. Their lungs and hearts had burst, most of them had fractured skulls.

In the next few weeks, with the evidence before it, a board of inquiry will give its verdict.

Is Sir Geoffrey to blame for going ahead with the Comet? For building a machine with twice the speed and twice the height of existing airliners? Should he be censured for trying to lead the world?

Or is it the adventurous spirit of the British race that is to blame? The spirit that would not let men rest until Everest had been conquered?

A witness summed up the case for the defense in remarking, "It is metallurgy, not aeronautics, that is in the dock."

Pioneer Sir Geoffrey, sitting amid his shattered dreams, would agree.

So They Say

We shouldn't talk unless we're ready to follow through. That only convinces the Communists, as it has in the past, that we won't act next time. That made us what they call in the Orient a "paper tiger." —Sen. William Knowland.

I consider it a great pleasure not to have to reach American soil asking for American aid—Austria's Chancellor Julius Raab.

If it (1956 presidential race) is between (Adlai) Stevenson and Eisenhower, I will enthusiastically support the general.—Gov. Robert Kennon (D., La.).

They (persons behind the Iron Curtain) asked me when there was going to be a war against us so they could be liberated. They seemed to have no other hope for freedom.—Rep. Victor Wickersham (D., Okla.).

The people of the United States want to live in peace with the Soviet people.—Sen. Ralph Flinders (R., Vt.).

Our free competitive economy is the only system in the world that richly rewards every segment of society.—U. S. Steel Chairman Benjamin J. Fairless.

I admit that at times I have been extremely blunt in expressing my opinions. . . . I had no intention in the words that were used of hurting the feelings of anyone—but in the facts and opinions that I held I am unchanged.—Sen. Joseph McCarthy.

I think he (Secretary of State Dulles) understands the world situation a great deal better than a great many of his critics.—Sen. Irving Ives (R., N. Y.).

Edson In Washington

By PETER EDSON

(NEA Washington Correspondent)

WASHINGTON—(NEA) — The Eisenhower administration is now looking for a good Democrat—yes, that's right, a Democrat—to complete the five-member board of directors for the Export-Import Bank. When this vacancy is filled, the Administration will have closed a circle of reorganizing and then re-reorganizing its \$5 billion international lending agency to put it back in the shape it was two years ago, when the Republicans took over.

This experience offers an interesting example of what happens all too frequently when administrations change in Washington and the new team starts moving the beds around just for the sake of making the place look different.

Ex-Im bank, as it's known for short, was originally run by a five-man bipartisan board of directors. The Eisenhower administration decided this was unnecessary and put a single managing director in charge. The man selected for this job was retired Maj.-Gen. Glen E. Edgerton.

He was a soldier buddy of the President's, an engineer officer with a brilliant record, but with no experience whatever in the field of international finance. He naturally had to depend on some of the old hands to show him what it was all about.

TWO OF THE FORMER DIRECTORS, Republican Lynn U. Stambaugh and Democrat Hawthorne Arey, were retained as deputy and assistant to General Edgerton. They are now being promoted back to their old jobs as directors in the re-reorganization. General Edgerton will be president and board member.

Republican Vance Brand, Urbana, Ohio, banker who headed a businessman's advisory committee of more than 100 that recommended the re-reorganization, has just been sworn in as a fourth director, leaving the one vacancy still to be filled by a Democrat. Ex-Im bank will then be back in business as it was, only bigger and better.

In the early days of the new Administration, however, the intent was to whittle it down and cut out the business of throwing millions around in foreign loans. One of the toughest internal fights of the Administration was on whether to shore up tottering Brazil with a \$300 million loan. The State Department, which favored the loan, finally got it through.

TWO THINGS HAPPENED SUBSEQUENTLY to convince the Administration that the foreign-loan program might not be such a bad thing—particularly for Latin America.

The first was the South American tour of Milton Eisenhower, the President's brother. He came back recommending substantial increases in public loans for Latin-American development.

The second was a South American mission headed by Sen. Homer Capehart (D., Ind.), chairman of the Banking and Currency Committee. Other members were Senators John W. Bricker (R., Ohio) and Allen Frear (D., Del.). They came back and to the surprise of nearly everyone, recommended an increase of Ex-Im loans.

Senator Capehart then took the lead in putting through legislation to increase Ex-Im bank lending authority from \$4.5 billion to \$5 billion and to restore its five-man board of directors.

IN THE PAST MONTH, the bank has shown new signs of life. It has announced a \$100 million credit to an American Smelting and Refining subsidiary for development of Peruvian copper. And it has inaugurated a new type "line of credit" loan to U. S. exporters to help them finance foreign sales of capital equipment.

First of these loans is a \$4 million credit to Oliver Corp. of Chicago for farm equipment sales. The second is to Combustion Engineering of New York for steam boilers. Applications from other companies are under study and may be announced soon.

This stepped-up activity for Ex-Im bank is really about the only tangible economic encouragement which the U. S. has to offer Latin America at the Rio conference which convened Nov. 22.

The Administration's new plan for an International Finance Corp. under the "World Bank"—announced as something big to take to Rio—will require congressional authorization and an appropriation of \$35 million. They may be some time in coming. So this is largely an empty promise.

BARBS

By HAL COCHRAN

Maybe a snob doesn't want to associate with you for fear you'll learn you don't want to associate with him.



Smart elderly folks are the ones who don't shovel walks because they haven't the heart to do it.

The minute somebody is forced to play second fiddle in a home real harmony is threatened.

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The Angels Fell

By Bruno Fischer

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Hannah Rahn and I sat in the back seat of the car while Martha drove. In the darkness I could not see her beside me. I clung to her wrist. Her skin was damp and cold.

A nice girl. A well-brought-up, respectable young woman. A congressman's daughter. The kidnaper of a child.

"Where is he?" I said again. "You didn't bring the right briefcase," she countered.

Savagely my hand tightened around her wrist. She uttered a thin cry and then cut it off and sat beside me silent and without resistance though I continued to constrict my fingers.

"Pretending she had gone to Washington while she waited for a chance to kidnap Joey!" Martha said, biting out each word. "She won't be so calm about it in my cellar."

We arrived at Martha's house. When we got out of the car, I grasped Hannah's wrist again. We followed the beam of Martha's flashlight around to the side of the house. We went through the ground-level cellar door. Martha switched on the light.

The cellar was finished in knotty pine and linoleum floor tile. It was warm, heated automatically with the rest of the house when the temperature fell. Martha took off her raincoat and kerchief and tossed them on the pingpong table and faced Hannah. I dropped Hannah's arm.

"Where is Joey?" Martha demanded.

Hannah pushed her rainhood off and passed a hand over her

drawn-back ash-blond hair. She was pale, but there was a piece of a set smile on her mouth, the kind of smile one brings up to fortify courage. She said: "He'll be home a few hours after I have the briefcase."

Martha crossed the cellar to the utility room. In a moment she returned with a short length of clothesline and part of a ragged Turkish towel.

"Take off your coat," she ordered.

Hannah didn't stir. "Hold her," Martha told me.

I put my hands on Hannah's upper arms. She offered no resistance as Martha unbuckled the raincoat belt and opened the buttons. Hannah let me pull the raincoat down over her shoulders and arms. I placed it on the pingpong table.

She wore a red blouse buttoned to her throat and a gray skirt.

Martha handed me the clothesline. "Tie her wrists to that pipe."

I lifted one of Hannah's arms.

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It was limp, inanimate. I tied one end of the rope around her wrist in a square knot, not as tightly as I could have. I threw the other end over the two-inch water pipe close to the ceiling. Martha held Hannah's other arm up high as I tied that wrist. I left enough slack so that the rope would not bite into her flesh unless she slumped.

She stood with heels flat on the linoleum floor and arms extended straight up. Her smile was gone. Her gaze was inward, appearing to see nothing.

Martha tore a small square from the towel and tried to stuff it into Hannah's mouth. Hannah kept her lips locked and Martha pinched her nose with two fingers. Hannah's cheeks expanded, and then her mouth flew open and Martha shoved the rag between the teeth. Then she tore off a long strip of cloth and hooked it between Hannah's lips and tied it at the back of her neck. The boss, as always, was efficient.

"Paul, are you wearing a belt?"

I unbuttoned my raincoat and pulled off my belt. She swung it, buckle down. Hannah didn't look at it.

"I'm going to strip you naked and whip you," Martha said in a

curiously matter-of-fact tone. "With the buckle end. You can stop me at any time by nodding your head."

Hannah closed her eyes. "Wait," I said.

Martha's face was like rock. "I forgot you're a gentleman," she sneered. "Wait upstairs. I don't need you."

The skirt fell in a crumpled heap about the slim legs.

Upstairs the doorbell rang. Persistently the bell rang. I thought of her car outside and the living room lights on. Whoever it was would know that somebody was in.

"I'll get rid of him," I said.

The ringing had stopped. I started to relax and stiffened again. Overhead feet moved.

I went upstairs and found Ben Helm in the living room. "Oh, hello," he said, giving me an engaging, apologetic grin. "I found the door unlocked and walked in."

"Just like that," I said.

He put his lighter to his pipe.

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light to have him call. "Odd," he observed. "It's over 12 hours since the boy is gone. I expected the kidnaper to make a move long before this." That was when I heard the sound. It came from the cellar and it was like a remote whimpering.

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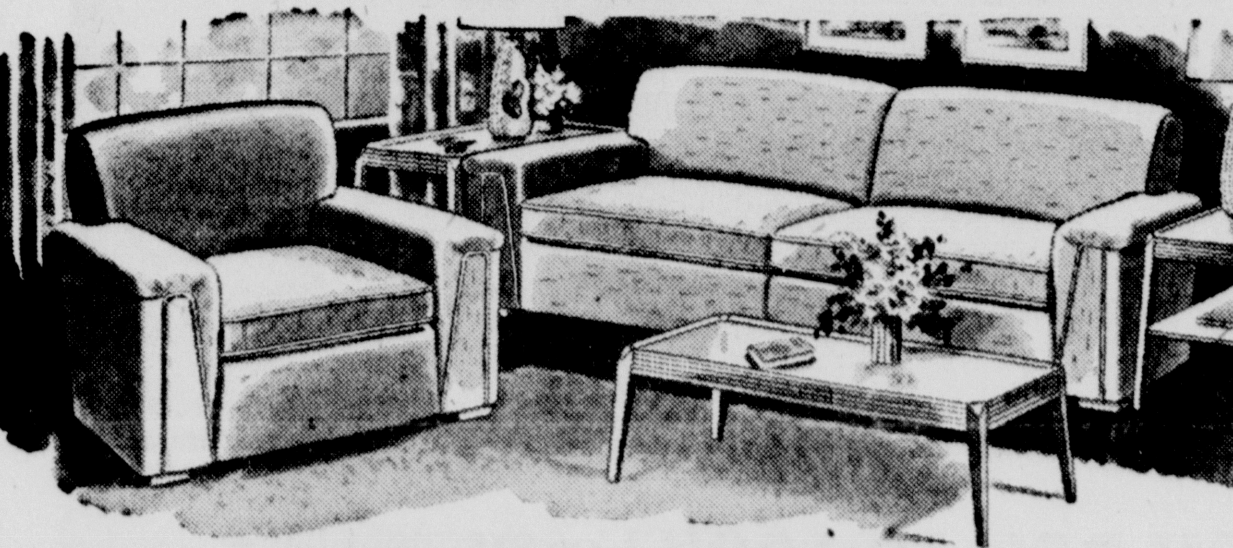
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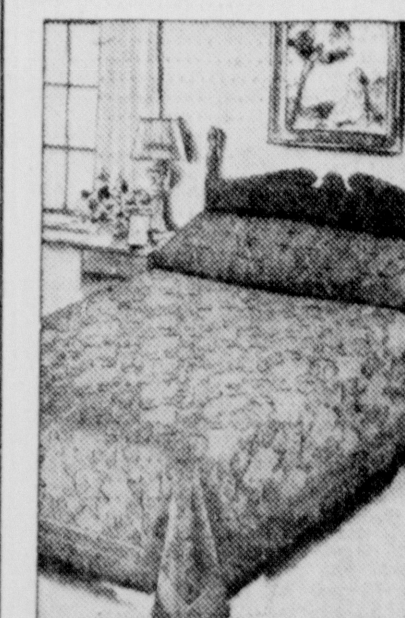
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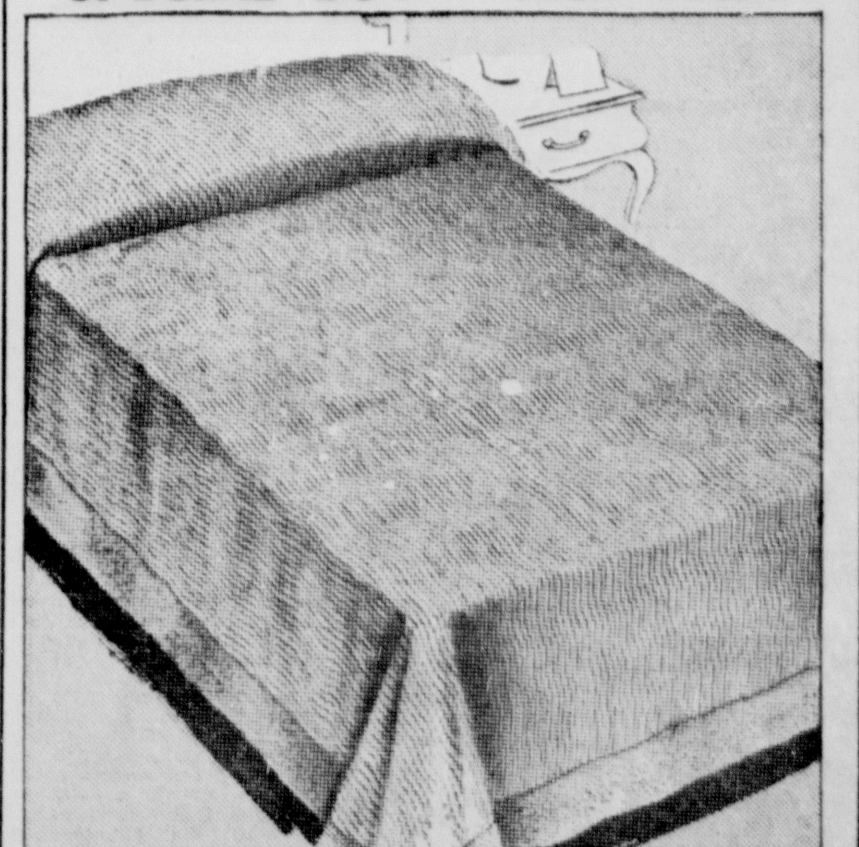
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Gunman Caught In Grand Rapids

GRAND RAPIDS (AP)—An ex-convict, sought for investigation of felonious assault, quietly surrendered Sunday to police who laid siege to his house after he threatened to "kill anyone who comes after me."

Thomas P. Walker, 22, of Grand Rapids, was wanted for questioning in the early Sunday shooting of Burchell Owens, 33, also of Grand Rapids.

Owens said Walker shot him through the shoulder with a .32 caliber revolver during an argument that broke out at Owens' home.

Walker was on parole from Southern Michigan Prison after serving part of a term for a similar offense.

Owens warned police that Walker had threatened to "kill anyone who comes after me."

Police sealed off streets in the area and armed with tear gas and riot guns moved in on the Walker home.

Perkins

4-H Party
PERKINS—The Perkins 4-H Boys and Girls clubs will hold their Christmas party Friday, Dec. 10, at the school. Names have been drawn, and gifts will be exchanged. There will be a Christmas tree and other decorations.

A party lunch will be served, followed by an evening of dancing and games. Fred Bernhardt, Delta County 4-H Club agent, will call for square dancing.

Ladies Aid
The Ladies Aid of the Bethany Lutheran Church will hold their annual Christmas party with exchanges of gifts at the home of Mrs. Henry Soderstrom Wednesday, Dec. 8, at 2 p. m. Mrs. Soderstrom will serve the Christmas lunch. There will be a special program.

Missionary Meeting
The Missionary Society of the Perkins Bethany Lutheran Church met at the home of Mrs. Richard Norden of Rock Wednesday evening. Christmas packages were gathered to send to childrens hospitals.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Onni Johnson of Rock Jan. 26.

Briefs
Mr. and Mrs. Adelore Gerou Sr. have received word that their son-in-law and daughter, A/c and Mrs. Dennis Schaefer and daughter, Denise, have arrived in New York City from Paris, France, where Airman Schaefer had been stationed. They plan to be in Perkins by Dec. 10. Mrs. Schaefer is the former Grace Gerou.

Recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Krouth were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bailey and children of Eckerman, Wis.; Mr. and Mrs. Neil Bailey and family, Gwinn; Mr. and Mrs. Robert LaFave, Palmer, Mich.; Marvin Gudwer, Milwaukee; Mrs. Emma LaBumbard and daughter, Beverly, Gladstone and Charles Feeney of Iron Mountain.

The American Legion Auxiliary will hold their Christmas party Dec. 13 at the home of Leo Miljour. Gifts will be exchanged.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Verbrigghe and Mrs. Henry LaChapell left Tuesday for Casco, Wis., to attend the funeral services of Mrs. Mary LaLuzern, an aunt of Mrs. LaChapell and Mrs. Verbrigghe.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Janssen of Little Chute, Wis., visited Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Robbins.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Duchaine and daughter, Connie Jo, returned Monday to their home in Nacona, Tex., following a two weeks vacation at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Vermote, St. Nicholas.

Bark River

BARK RIVER WOMEN'S LEAGUE
Buck Inn 25 11
Andy's Bar 23 13
Swift's 21 13
Don's Market 16 20
Bergman's 16 17
Boyle's 16 20
Teal's Evergreens 15 18
Bark River Cafe 10 26
High averages—Corrine Teal 14; Marian Bruce 135; Betty Bruce 135; Millie Severinsen 132; Anna Mae Anderson 128.
HTG—Andy's Bar, 704; HIG—Armine Sundquist, 171; HTM—Andy's Bar, 1917; HIM—Lorraine Teal, 452.

Wall Street

NEW YORK (AP)—The stock market continued its strong march ahead in the early afternoon today and scored new highs since the 1929 peaks.

It was the third straight advance for the market. Gains went to around two points generally with some stocks pushing out to around four. Losses were small.

Trading was at the heaviest rate of the year near four million shares. Friday's total was 3,790,000, third highest of the year.

Du Pont, up 4 1/2 Friday on its victory over antitrust charges, started today up 3 1/2.

Western Union, strong last week, started today up 3 1/2.

U. S. government bonds were narrow.



ONE AND ONLY—America's first and only Mohammedan mosque is now nearing completion in Washington, D. C. The minaret, from which a crier traditionally calls worshippers to prayer, faces toward Mecca while the rest of the building is built parallel to the street.

Charles O. Johnson Of Spalding Dies

Charles O. Johnson, 81, a resident of the Spalding area for about 70 years, died at St. Francis Hospital early this morning of pneumonia. He had been ill three weeks.

Born in 1873 in Oconto, Wis., he came to Spalding Township at the age of 10. His wife died in 1937.

Surviving are four daughters, Mrs. Hazel Egan, Mrs. Lillian Staton and Mrs. Eunice Pivinski, all of Chicago, and Mrs. Vernon Dubois, Oak Park, Ill.; four sons, Carl and Ernest, Chicago, Raymond, Cicero, and Lloyd, Powers; a sister, Mrs. W. B. St. John, Peshtigo, Wis.; and one brother, William Johnson, Minneapolis, Minn., nine grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

Friends may begin calling at the Boyle Funeral Home at Bark River after 7 p. m. Tuesday.

Funeral services will be held Thursday at 9:30 a. m. at St. Francis Xavier Church, Spalding. The rosary will be recited Wednesday evening at the funeral home at 8:45.

Cornell

Home Extension
CORNELL—The Cornell Home Extension club met at the Cornell hall this week. Miss Ingrid Teronen, Delta County home demonstration agent, demonstrated Christmas articles and decorations. Mrs. Ted McFadden and Mrs. Orville Wolf were selected to attend the next lesson in Escanaba in January. Plans were made for the Christmas party to be held at the McFadden home in Cornell Dec. 20. Lunch was served by the hostesses Mrs. Barney Thompson and Mrs. Orville Wolf.

Stork Shower
Mrs. Evert Way was guest of honor at a pink and blue shower at the Cornell hall this week. Games were played with Mrs. Grey Knaus and Mrs. Alfred Dahl Sr. receiving consolation awards. It was also Mrs. Way's birthday and a birthday cake centered the table for a buffet lunch. The guest of honor received a number of lovely gifts. The party was arranged by Mrs. Morton Shire, Mrs. C. Way and Mrs. Howard Shire.

Chicago Prices

CHICAGO BUTTER
CHICAGO (AP)—Butter, steady; receipts 101,022; wholesale buying prices unchanged; 93 score AA, 60; 92 A, 59 1/2 to 60; 90 B, 58 1/2; 89 C, 57 1/2; 88 D, 56 1/2; 87 E, 55 1/2.

CHICAGO EGGS
CHICAGO (AP)—Eggs, unsettled; receipts 19,371; wholesale buying prices unchanged to 1 lower; 100 large whites, 24 1/2; mixed, 22 1/2; mediums, 21 1/2; standards, 20 1/2; current receipts, 20; dirts, 22; checks, 22.

CHICAGO POTATOES
CHICAGO (AP)—(USA) —Potatoes: Arrivals 533; on track 402; total U. S. shipments 2,200; 201, Saturday; 201, Sunday; 1, supplies moderate; demand moderate; market firm to slightly stronger. Carlot track sales: Idaho russets, \$4.00 to \$4.25; one car \$4.00; Colorado McIntoshes, \$3.00; Montana russets, many broom ends, \$3.00; Idaho-North Dakota frontlakes, washed and waxed, \$2.50 to \$2.60; one car \$2.30; Kennebecs, unwashed, \$1.90.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK
CHICAGO (AP)—(USA) —Sailable hogs 15,000; fairly active and uneven; generally 25 to 50 higher on all weights butchers and sows; most choice 180 to 220 lb. butchers \$18.50 to \$19.50; most choice No. 1 and 2's \$19.25 to \$19.50; a few decks choice mostly No. 1's 200 to 215 lbs. \$19.00 to \$19.50; most choice 230 to 250 lbs. \$17.50 to \$18.50, little below \$17.75; some choice No. 1 and 2's 230 lbs. \$18.75 and above; most 260 to 300 lb. \$17.00 to \$17.65; most sows around 400 lbs. and lighter \$15.50 to \$16.25; a few \$16.50; most larger lots 425 to 600 lbs. \$14.00 to \$15.25; early clearance.

Sailable cattle 20,000; choice and prime steers and heifers moderately active, steady to strong; other grades slow and uneven, about steady; cows steady, other classes fully steady; few loads of prime 1,175 to 1,200 lb. steers \$20.25 to \$21.00; most choice and prime steers \$25.50 to \$30.00; good to low-choice steers \$20.00 to \$25.00; good to prime heifers \$23.50 to \$28.00; good to low-choice \$18.50 to \$23.00; most utility to low-commercial cows \$9.00 to \$11.00; bulk canners and cutters \$7.00 to \$9.00; utility and commercial bulls \$12.00 to \$14.00; good to prime vealers \$17.00 to \$22.00.

Sailable sheep 3,500; active; woolled lambs 25 to 50 higher; clipped lambs 50 or more higher; slaughter sheep steady; choice and prime woolled lambs \$19.50 to \$20.50; good to choice \$18.00 to \$19.00; small lot sorted out choice \$18.00; a deck and load lot good to prime mostly choice 98 to 100 lb. clipped lambs with No. 1 skins \$19.00 to \$19.50; small lot sorted out choice to prime \$20.00; good and choice slaughter sheep \$9.50 to \$9.75.

Axel Allert, 80, Former Soo Line Dispatcher, Dies

MANISTIQUE—Axel Allert, 80, retired Soo Line dispatcher, died Sunday afternoon at Manistique.

He was born in Copenhagen, Denmark, June 7, 1874 and began work on the Soo Line as a telegraph operator July 2, 1896. He retired as train dispatcher Aug. 1, 1941.

Mr. Allert lived in Gladstone until his retirement after which he moved to Manistique.

He is survived by his wife, Myrtle, three sons, Douglas, and Albert, Minneapolis; Claude, Los Angeles; and four daughters, Ina, Los Angeles; Mrs. Linus Belanger, Pontiac; Mrs. Jay Fletcher, Tuscaloosa, Ala.; and Mrs. Charles Bellanger, Paw Paw, Mich. Eleven grandchildren, two sisters, Mrs. Alma King, and Miss Olga Allert, Danbury, Conn., and a brother, Carl, West Palm Beach, Fla., also survive.

Funeral services will be held Wednesday at 2 at the Kefauver and Jackson Funeral Home, Manistique, with Rev. A. B. Brown officiating. Interment will be in Gardens of Rest Cemetery, Escanaba.

K-C Memorial Is Scheduled Tonight

The annual Knights of Columbus Memorial Service honoring the deceased members during the past year will be held following a business meeting of Council 640 at 7:30 tonight in the club rooms.

Officiating at the service will be the council chaplain, Msgr. Martin B. Melican.

Deceased members to be honored are Dr. Nathan J. Frenn, John G. Hanson, Edward Seymour, Elmer Stacey, Ralph Finley and Isadore Chartrand.

The annual venison feed of the council was held Saturday night at the K-C hall with 250 members, wives and guests attending.

The dinner was followed by a short program with Past Grand Knight Tom Beaton as master of ceremonies, Walter Wickert and William Richer, deerslayers for this year, explained how they procured the venison for the annual feed, William Miron and Alfred LaBranche were named 1955 deerslayers.

Anthony Manley and Edward G. Harkins Sr. were presented with 50 year membership pins by Deputy Walter Bjorkquist.

YOUR POSTAL CLERK Says



Stroke Fatal To Mrs. Delarwelle, 88

Mrs. Emilie Delarwelle, 88, of 939 Washington Ave., died Saturday at 5:30 p. m. as the result of a stroke suffered Thursday.

She was born June 25, 1866 at St. Zephirin, Quebec, Canada, and came to the United States as a young lady. She had lived in Escanaba for the past 60 years. Mrs. Delarwelle was a member of St. Thomas Church and St. Anne's Altar Society.

Surviving are a husband, Fabian and a daughter, Mrs. John Cheverett, Escanaba, and seven grand children.

Friends may call at the Allo Funeral Home.

General recitation of the rosary will be held at 8:30 this evening.

Funeral services will be held Tuesday at 10:30 a. m. at St. Thomas the Apostle Church with Rev. Arnold Thompson officiating. Burial will be made in Holy Cross Cemetery.

Wells Soldier Hurt In Auto Smashup At Lunenburg, Mass.

LUNENBURG, Mass. (AP)—Two soldiers were killed and three others injured when their car crashed into two heavy cement blocks and a tree Sunday night.

The dead were identified as Pvt. Claude E. Martin, 21, of Hammond, Ind., and Pfc. Lewis E. Otero, 21, of Kew Gardens, N. Y.

Injured were Pfc. Robert A. Anderson, 25, of Wells, Mich.; Pfc. Peter E. Beltran, 22, of Fairbury, Ill., and Pfc. Mark Lehner, 20, of St. Paul, Minn.

The soldiers were members of a signal battalion stationed at nearby Fort Devens.

Compared to most gem stones, the emerald is soft.

Democrats Pick Chairman; Hope To Beat Eisenhower

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clear he thinks the November elections which gave Democrats control of Congress proved the people don't have nearly as much faith in the GOP as they demonstrated in the past for Eisenhower.

On this basis, Stevenson has told friends he believes that other Republicans in time will drag Eisenhower down to their much lower level of popularity and that the President will be vulnerable if he runs again.

Silent On His Plans

Stevenson has kept publicly silent on his own plans. He has indicated that he is not in an eager-beaver mood for the nomination. Neither has he shut any doors against the possibility.

In his own mind, Stevenson was represented as believing that despite any present intentions, Eisenhower will be forced by his party to take the GOP nomination in 1956.

Stevenson's announcement at a \$100-a-plate dinner here Saturday night that he "cannot participate in party affairs as rigorously as in the past" was accepted generally as indicating only an intention to get off the political speaking circuit for a while.

Butler, elected by 70 of the committee's 105 votes to succeed Stephen A. Mitchell as national chair-

man, said the Democrats plan no personal attacks on Eisenhower. "But that does not mean," he said, "that we should refrain from pointed criticism of either actions, or lack of action, that we do not consider in the best interests of the country."

Women's Clubs Urge Boycott Of Yule Tree Items Made In Russia

WASHINGTON (AP)—The president of the General Federation of Women's Clubs today urged members of the organization to boycott Christmas tree ornaments made by Russia or her satellites.

Mrs. Theodore S. Chapman said "it is a desecration of Christmas to decorate the Yule tree with articles manufactured under the supervision of atheistic Communists."

In addition, she said, "the dollar used to purchase the Iron Curtain ornaments may eventually be used against our armed forces."

The 5,000 degree temperature of the filament in a lighted electric light bulb is twice that of molten steel.

Accidents Fatal To 22 In Michigan

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1. Barryton, and her 3-year-old daughter, Marcia, were killed Saturday when a car driven by Mrs. Antcliff's husband, Clyde, skidded off a rural road and overturned in a ditch three miles west of Barryton in Mecosta County.

Mrs. Mary LaRue Beckwith, 39, of RFD4, Coldwater, was killed Saturday in the collision of her car and a New York Central train at a railroad crossing on the eastern outskirts of Coldwater.

Paul H. Weit, 33, of Detroit, was injured fatally Saturday when a car in which he was a passenger hit a parked car on Detroit's east side.

Joseph Cooper, 46, of Detroit, was killed Saturday in a two-car collision at a Detroit intersection. Earl R. Archer, 24, of Sanford, was injured fatally Sunday when a car in which he was an occupant crashed into a tree off M30 one mile south of Sanford in Midland County.

Largest bird known to man was the giant roc, or elephant bird, of Madagascar.

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Overpopulating Elk Are Plague To National Parks

WASHINGTON — Twenty-eight thousand elk in northwestern Wyoming are giving the Federal Government one of its sharpest wildlife management headaches.

Elk are breeding too fast in the Yellowstone and Grand Teton National Parks area, creating an overpopulation problem more acute than anywhere else in the national parks. Oversized herds spell undernourished animals, depletion of vegetation, particularly aspen and fir trees, and even more serious, land erosion through overgrazing.

The government has tried shooting the elk, only to run into a return volley of criticism. It has tried a helicopter to frighten the elk out of Yellowstone Park into Montana where they were mowed down by waiting hunters. But an expenditure of \$1,000 shooed out only 100 exhausted animals. The government opened Grand Teton National Park to deputized hunters, but in a month and a half during the recent September-October season only 12 elk had been killed.

Two Largest Herds
Now national, Wyoming, and Montana authorities are wrestling with this problem to which there seems no easy answer as yet, says the National Geographic Society.

The Nation's two largest elk herds summer in the high country of Yellowstone Park. One, the north Yellowstone herd of approximately 12,000 head, hoofs northward in the fall and winter when a heavy canopy of snow restricts foraging in the semi-wooded uplands.

experimentally a number of years ago: outright killing by rangers. Carcasses were cleaned on the spot and the meat given to charitable institutions.

According to some authorities, this method tended to increase the hunter kill outside the park in Montana. Many hunters figured that if the elk were to be killed they might as well do the killing. In the winter of 1942-43 nearly 700 head were shot in the park by rangers and almost 6,000 were killed by hunters north of the park in Montana where the kill runs sometimes as low as 425.

As practical as outright killing by park rangers may be, it has the formidable disadvantage of stirring public wrath. The government thus is wary of resorting to this method.

The southern elk herd also presents tough problems. About this time of year it migrates across Jackson Hole, through Grand Teton National Park in places.

Some 7,000 head, at times as many as 10,000, make their way to the elk refuge near the town of Jackson where the government and the Wyoming game and fish department feed them alfalfa, hay and native grasses.

An act of Congress permits hunting in the park each season. In 1952 Wyoming and Federal officials planned a kill of 600 there and 1,200 "openings" for deputy park rangers were established. Only 455 applied for park permits. They killed a mere 27 elk. In addition, approximately 3,000 were shot elsewhere in the Jackson Hole area. This total kill left the herd too large, in the opinion of the government authorities.

Problems In Other Areas

Elk (Cervus canadensis), the large hoofed "deer" that sheds its antlers each year, presents a population problem on many other Federal and State lands, for example Wind Cave National Park in southwest South Dakota. The government estimates the herd of 1,000 at twice its ideal size. Elk are multiplying fast also in Montana's Glacier National Park and in Colorado's Rocky Mountain National Park area.

Other animals engendering their kind too rapidly are mule deer around Estes Park on the outskirts of Rocky Mountain park, in Utah's Zion National Park and

Rock

Extension Club

ROCK—The West Rock Home Extension club met at the home of Mrs. William Johnson Wednesday afternoon. The lesson was on Christmas tree decorations and was given by Mrs. Henry Norkoli. She showed how to make fish and bird decorations for the Christmas tree.

The leaders for the next lesson, "Your Clothes and You" will be Mrs. Lauri Hallinen and Mrs. William Johnson. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Henry Norkoli Jan. 6. Lunch was served by the

hostess at the close of the meeting.

Ladies' Aid

The Rock Union Ladies' Aid met at the home of Mrs. Walter Mantie Wednesday evening.

A book report, "Fifty Years with the Golden Rule" was read by Mrs. Martin Kaminen. Mrs. Donald Summers, accompanied by Miss Lois Vickers on the accordion, offered a solo. A poem entitled, "True and Faithful" was read by Mrs. Herman John-

son, and the devotional message of the evening was given by Miss Vickers.

Guests of the evening were Mrs. John Koski and Mrs. E. R. (Oiga) Staples of Negaunee. Luncheon was served by the hostess after which a social hour followed. Mrs. Charles Carlson will be hostess for the next meeting which will be held Dec. 29.

Briefs

Mrs. Osmo Aalto was hostess

to the West Rock Sewing club Thursday evening. Luncheon was served by the hostess toward the close of the meeting.

The Rock High School senior class is busy practicing their play, "Auntie's Money", which will be presented at the school Saturday evening, Dec. 11th.

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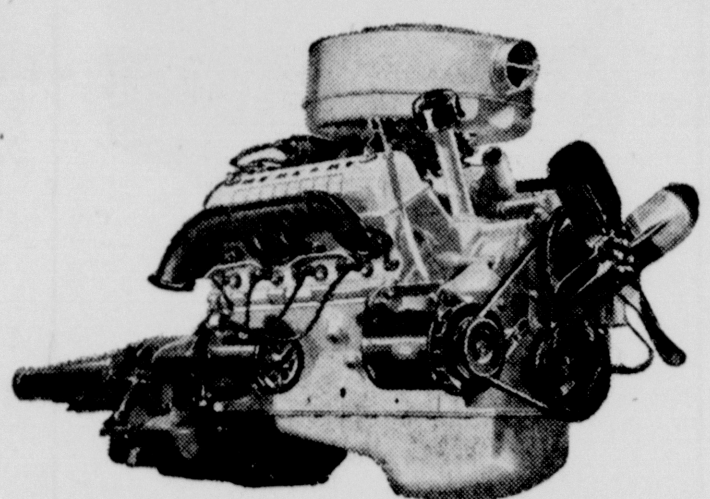
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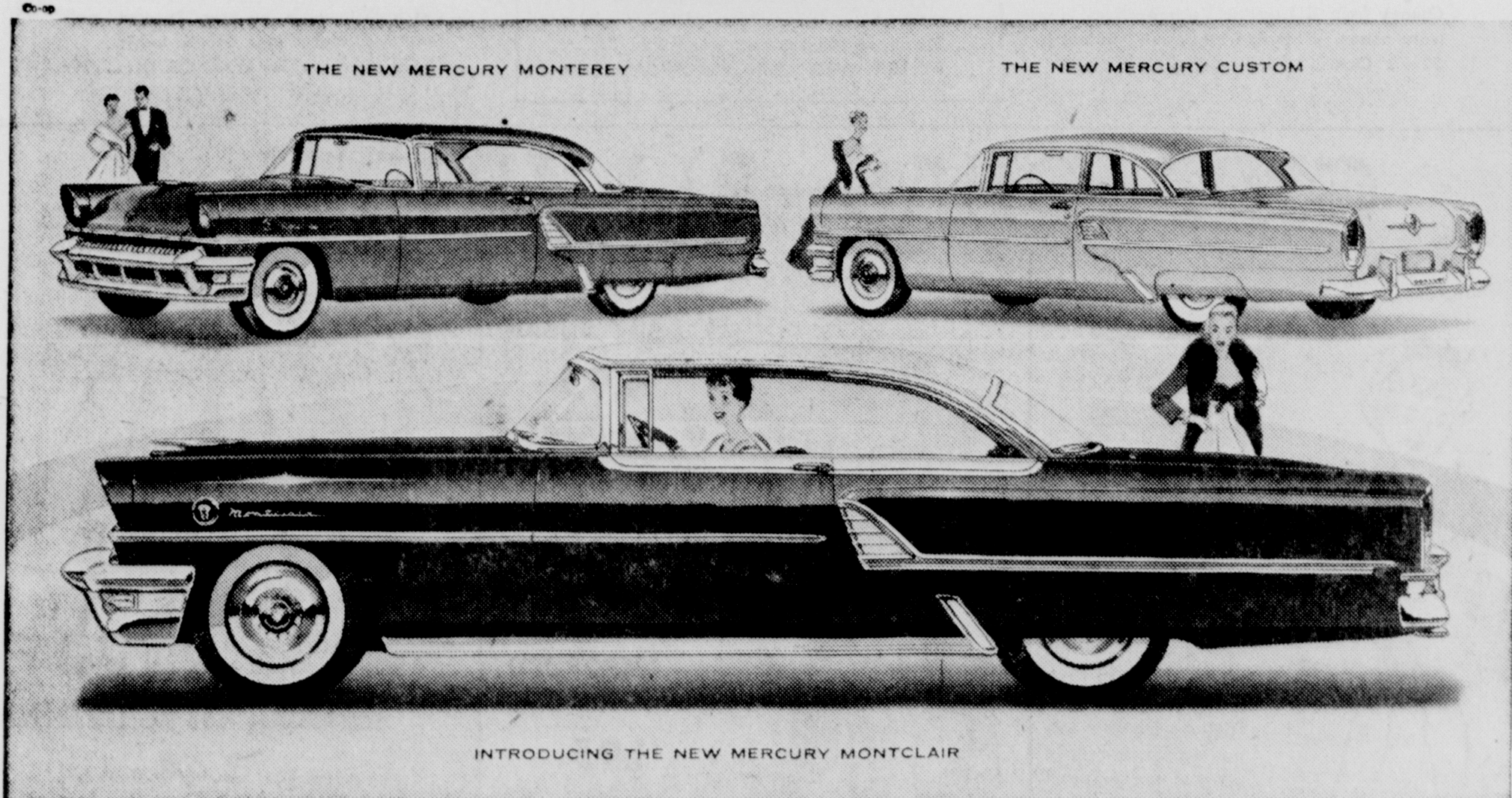
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Dear Sir:
In answer to your letter of November 26, 1954. The following is a schedule of cost of operation of the Municipal Court for a twelve month period.

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Office Supplies	174.67
Printing and supplies	11.35
Surety Bonds	75.16
Equipment	32.22
Telephone and telegraph	155.73
Conventions and travel	163.12
Dues, membership and subscriptions	58.50
Misc. Service (Bank Service charges, etc)	36.08
Total cost of operation	\$7,039.38

Trusting these figures will be of assistance to you in your problems I remain,

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Office of City Clerk
December 2, 1954

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Dear Sir:
Enclosed you will find the Copy of the Budget of the Municipal Court of the City of Sault Ste. Marie for the Fiscal period of 1954-1955. I believe this covers all the information you wish.

Very truly yours,
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City Clerk

# 3 MUNICIPAL COURT JULY 1954-1955	APPROPRIATION
ITEM	
Personal Services:	
10. Regular Salaries and wages	
Judge, Clerk and Stenographer	\$12,344.00
12. Temporary salaries and wages	475.00
Contractual Services:	
21. Postage	125.00
22. Telephone and telegraph	175.00
23. Printing and advertising	100.00
42. Reprs. to equipment	35.00
50. Bank service charges	50.00
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Japanese To Buy Russian Wool And Export It To U. S.

TOKYO (AP)—Kyodo News Service said that Japanese trading companies are trying to work a deal to buy kashmir wool from Russia, process it in Japan, and then export it to the United States. The agency said the companies had already contacted Soviet trade representatives here and woolen firms in America. The agency quoted one Japanese trader as saying U. S. kashmir traders are willing to switch over to Japanese-processed Russian-grown kashmir if they can get it for a lower price.

Himalaya Climbers Form Association

NEW DELHI (AP)—Sherpas, the mountain guides who assist Himalayan climbers, have banded together in a benevolent association with Tensing Norkay, conqueror of Everest, as president. Its program is to arrange free education and training for young sherpas, to assist injured or disabled sherpas and their families and to serve as liaison between sherpas and climbing expeditions.

Prepared For All Emergencies

MOREHEAD, Ky. (AP)—There was no confusion when the Morehead Fire Department attended church in a group and the fire alarm sounded. Chief C. B. McCullough, had arranged for his men to sit on the aisle. At the sound of the siren they walked quietly from the church—then ran to the fire station.

Little Boy Hanged

BATTLE CREEK (AP)—Jeffrey Angell, 3-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Angell, hanged himself in the basement of his home Friday while playing a game of cowboys and Indians. Police said the boy was playing with a clothesline fastened to a basement post. They theorize he caught his neck in the rope while standing on a box and kicked over his support in an effort to free himself.

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- 1—In his hand are the deep places of the earth: the strength of the hills— Psalm 95:4
 - 2—Name the man who was willing to sacrifice his only son, as a proof of his love to God, when God stopped him. Genesis 22:10-12
 - 3—The sixth commandment is, Thou shalt not— Exodus 20:13
 - 4—For thou desirest not sacrifices; else would I give it: thou delightest not in— Psalm 51:16
 - 5—But when thou doest alms, let not thy left hand— St. Matthew 6:3
 - 6—Above all things have fervent charity among yourselves: for— 1 Peter 4:8
 - 7—Is Priscilla, Penelope or Pauline a Biblical name? Acts 18:18
- Six correct . . . excellent Three correct . . . good
See The Bible.
charity, and is only pride and ostentation.—Hutton.
"The charity that hastens to proclaim its good deeds, ceases to be
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On Job 62 Years

CHICAGO (AP)—George E. Nellis spent his 80th birthday Friday at the same job he has had at the Chicago Tribune for 62 years and expressed the hope he can work another 25 years.

Nellis, the Tribune's oldest employee, has scanned millions of words as a proofreader since he started his job in August 1892. After all his years of intent reading he still does not use glasses.

Santa Embarrassed

KEY WEST, Fla. (AP)—A throng of children and mothers, gathered at San Carlos Institute to see Santa Claus come to town aboard a fire engine, roared with laughter when his britches dropped as he alighted from the truck.

Santa blushed as red as his uniform and quickly pulled up the trousers, covering up apparel that bystanders said looked like a pair of street pants.

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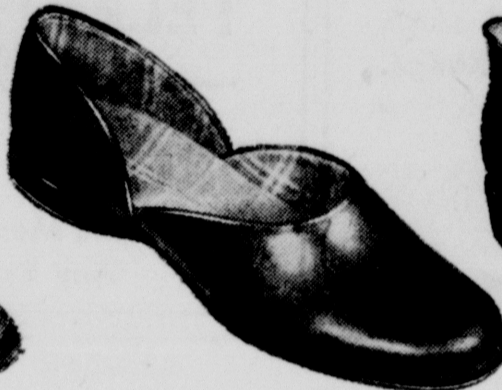
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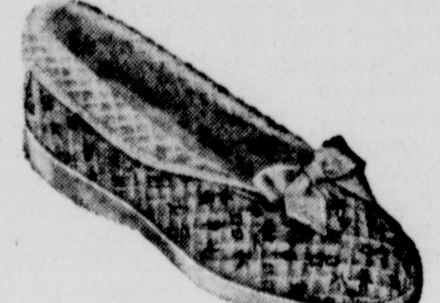
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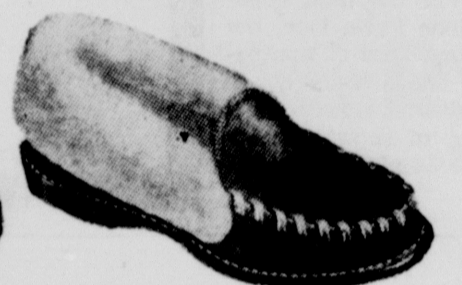
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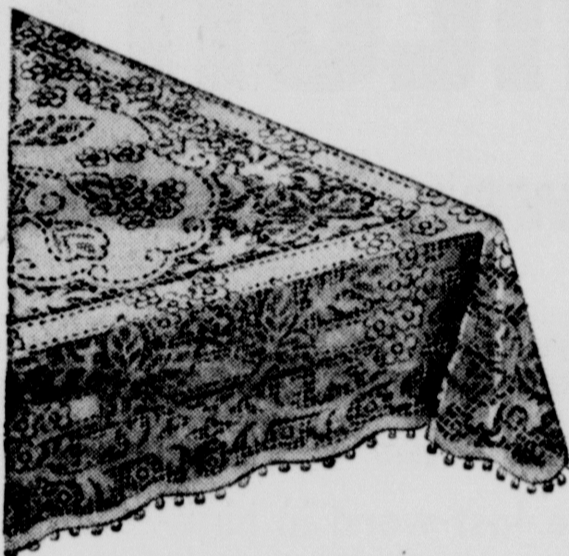


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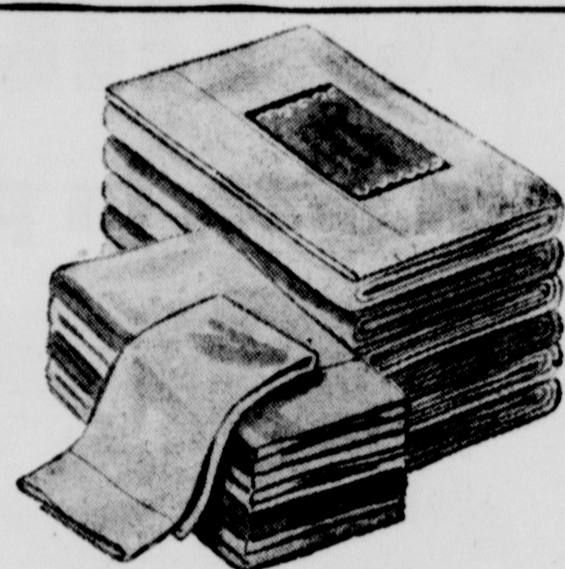
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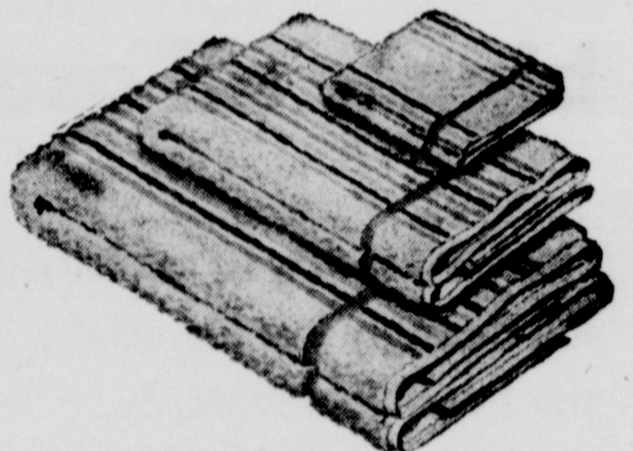
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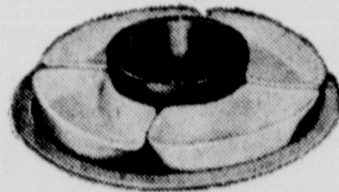
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The "social" bridge player and the serious student of the game are miles apart, irrespective of whatever difference there may be in pure skill. The social player hates postmortems; the student dotes on them.

Everyone is, of course, entitled to his tastes, but the players who hate postmortems unquestionably miss much of the deeper interest of bridge. Here, for example, is a hand from a duplicate match that later caused a running argument over one point: Would three no-trump be made, North-South, against "good" (not necessarily expert) defense?

South dealer.
Both sides vulnerable.

♠ A Q 4
♥ J 6 5
♦ 10 9 8 6 3
♣ A 10

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♠ 9 6 5 3
♥ A 7 2
♦ K 4 2
♣ 8 3 2

♠ 8 7 2
♥ K 8 4 3
♦ Q 7 5
♣ K 6 4

♠ K J 10
♥ Q 10 9
♦ A J
♣ Q J 9 7 5

The bidding is not important; simply suppose that South reaches three no-trump with both opponents passing throughout.

Suppose further that West leads a spade—no other lead is

better for the defense. South wins in the closed hand and tries the club finesse. East wins and returns a spade, won by the ace. Declarer cashes the ace of clubs, then leads a heart.

Now, the question of whether three no-trump "would be" made depends entirely on East. If that defender plays a low heart, South is on the home stretch, but an alert East puts up the heart king. When it holds, he shifts to a low diamond, and this shift is the "nux" against declarer. If he plays the ace of diamonds, he must lose two diamond tricks when he knocks out the heart ace; and if South puts in the diamond jack, West wins and leads another diamond which East ducks.

Thus, the answer is that South cannot make three no-trump against good defense—but the word "good" is subject to much qualification, and it is doubtful that many pairs would find precisely the right defense on the East-West cards. Observe that the first diamond lead by the defense must go through South's A-J—not up to that combination.

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Play On Thin Ice Drowns Small Boys

MINNEAPOLIS (AP)—After-school play on the thin ice of Dutch Lake near suburban Mound cost the lives of two small boys late Friday.

Larry, 7, son of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Maass, and Bradley Cressy, 6, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bud Norman, were reported missing

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A searching party spotted a hole in the lake's thin ice. With the aid of grappling hooks, the bodies of the two playmates were recovered.

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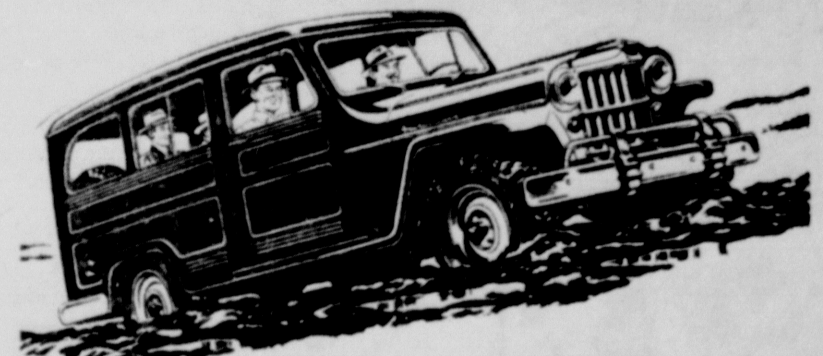
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Sauerkraut	A&P Brand Our Finest Quality	2 27-Oz. Cans	25c
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WASHINGTON (AP) — The Labor Department says a record number of American women are now employed, more even than at the peak of World War II. The department's women's bureau made public Thursday a "handbook on women workers" containing estimates that 19,726,000 women are now in the nation's labor force. They represent nearly a third of the 62 million American workers. This compares with 19,670,000 women at jobs in 1945.

Sues For \$150,000

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Singer-dancer Sammy Davis Jr. filed suit Friday for \$150,000 damages as a result of an automobile collision near San Bernardino, Calif., last Nov. 19 in which he lost his left eye. The suit was directed against Mrs. Helen S. Boss, 72, of Van Nuys, Calif., identified as driver of a car that was in a collision with Davis', and Mrs. Bessie Ross of Akron, Ohio, who was Mrs. Boss' passenger.

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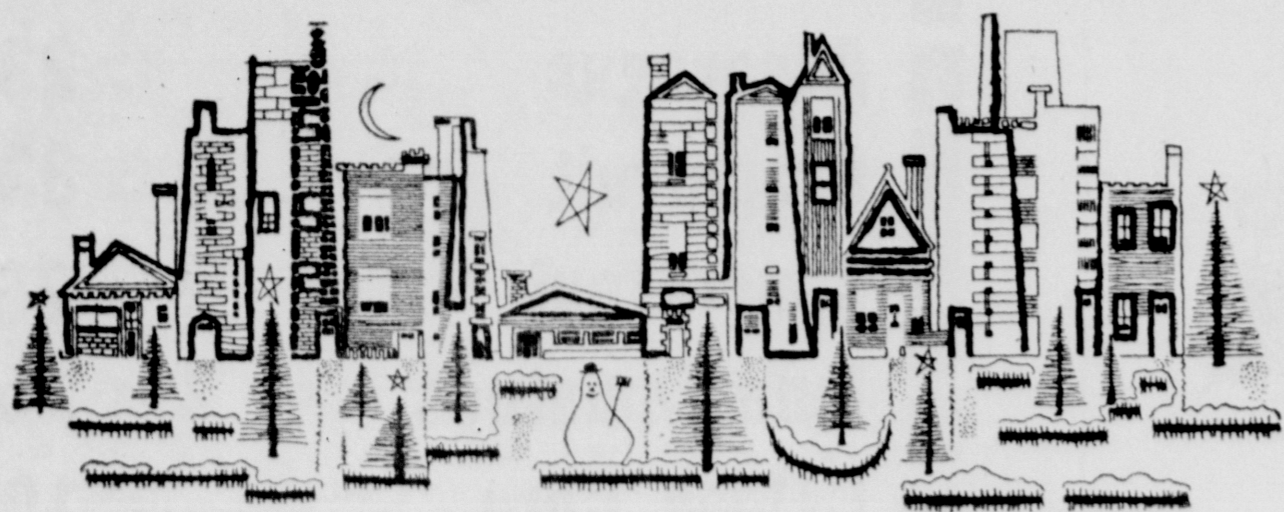
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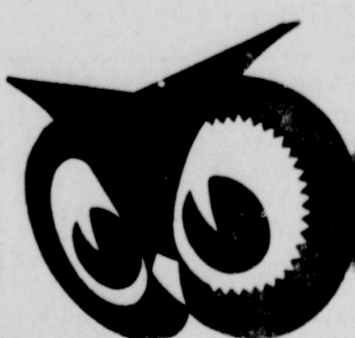
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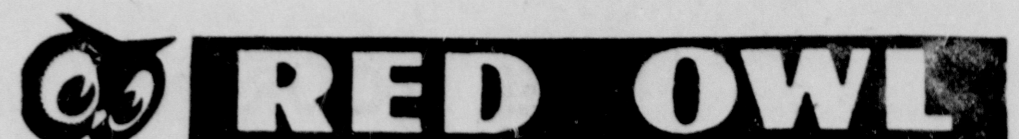
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Barbara Klasell, Axel E. Anderson Exchange Vows

In a wedding of the early winter season Saturday at Bethany Lutheran Church, Miss Barbara Ann Klasell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Klasell, became the bride of Axel Edward Anderson Jr., 316 N. 11th St. Mr. and Mrs. Axel E. Anderson of Escanaba are the bridegroom's parents.

The double ring ceremony was solemnized by Rev. Clifford Peterson of Gladstone at 2 p. m. Music during the nuptial service was sung by Mrs. Cory Hartbarger with Don Aronson as organist. At the beginning of the ceremony, "O Perfect Love" was sung, and at the close of the service, "The Lord's Prayer" was sung as the couple knelt at the altar.

Early Winter Decor

Fuji mums and red gladiolas were arranged in tall standards with lighted candles, and poinsettia plants and Christmas trees were at either side of the sanctuary. The family pews were marked with clusters of pine boughs and white satin ribbon. The color theme of early winter was repeated in the decor for the reception. A centerpiece of white mums and red carnations, arranged with pine boughs, was used on the bridal table with white tapers on an imported Swedish linen cloth. The wedding cake table was covered by a Swedish linen cloth and white tapers. A Christmas theme tablecloth and pine boughs adorned the punch table. Wedding bells and poinsettia plants, throughout the home, completed the decorations.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of white nylon tulle over satin. The shirred tulle strapless bodice was complemented by a bolero jacket of lace, styled with a Peter Pan collar and sleeves tapering to a point over the wrist. An overdrape of tulle and Chantilly lace fashioned the floor length bouffant skirt. Her fingertip length veil of imported French illusion was caught to a tiara headpiece of iridescent beading and tiny pearls. Her jewelry was a single strand of pearls. She carried a cascading bouquet of clear red garnet roses with a background of green ivy.

Waltz length gowns of moss green nylon tulle and sparkling Crystalette were worn by the young women who attended her. The gowns were designed with bodices of soft folds, inset by shirred tulle and accented with tiny buttons. They were worn with removable shrug jackets of Crystalette. Velvet headbands of moss green, trimmed with seeded pearls, completed their attire. They carried cascade bouquets of red carnations against a background of green simulated leaves. Maid of honor was Miss Mary Jo Decker of Chicago, the bride's cousin and Miss Pat Buzzell, Madison, was the bridal aide.

Late Afternoon Reception
Little Judy Boehm of Neenah, Wis., cousin of the bride, was flower girl. She wore a full length gown of white nylon net accented with a deep net ruffle on the bodice and short puffed sleeves and a bouffant fashioned hoop skirt. Her headpiece of white velvet was a miniature of the bride's, and she carried a green maline basket trimmed with red roses while scattering rose petals down the carpeted aisle.

Donald Ashland of Milwaukee was Mr. Anderson's best man. Groomsman was the bride's brother, Thomas Klassell. Ushering the guests to their seats were Robert Anderson, brother-in-law of the bridegroom, and John

Women's Activities



ENGAGEMENT TOLD—Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Lancour announce the engagement of their daughter, Mary Lou, to Robert P. McQuire, son of Mr. and Mrs. Reginald McQuire of Green Bay, Wis. (Portrait by Millie)

Decker, cousin of the bride.

The mother of the bride was attired in a gown of slate blue chromspun taffeta with accessories of winter white and black. She wore a corsage of white carnations and red garnet roses. Mrs. Anderson wore a dress of China pink faille and winter white and black accessories. Her corsage was fashioned of white carnations.

A wedding reception was held at the home of the bride's parents from 4 to 6 p. m. Presiding at the reception were Mrs. Robert Lundgaard and Mrs. Russell Backlund, pouring; Mrs. Robert Boehm, cutting the cake, and Mrs. Harold VanEffen, in charge of the guest book.

Mr. Anderson and his bride left on a honeymoon trip to Milwaukee. Upon their return, the bridegroom will report to Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo., where he is stationed with the U. S. Army.

For traveling, the bride wore a two piece knit dress of beige with avocado green accessories. With it, she wore a cymbidium orchid corsage.

The bride attended St. Luke's School of Nursing, Marquette, and the bridegroom is a graduate of Northern Michigan College of Education, Marquette, where he was a member and past president of the Tri Mu Fraternity. Both are graduates of Escanaba Senior High School.

Out-of-town wedding guests were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Boehm and children, Judy and Steven, Neenah, Wis.; Mr. and Mrs. Brodie Westen, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Ellingsen, Tom Peters, Willard Carne, Brodie C. Westen Jr., Edward W. Kuivinen and Ted Houle, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Panzavalli all of Marquette; Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Fosterling and Craig Gwinn, and Mr. and Mrs. James Boyle, Kenosha, Wis.

Escanaba Ensemble To Be In 'Messiah'

The Escanaba Salon String Ensemble, a group of local musicians, will be another musical feature during the presentation of Handel's "Messiah" by the Orpheus Choral Club. The Orpheus annual Christmas concert will take place tomorrow, Dec. 7, at 8 p. m. at the William W. Oliver Memorial Auditorium.

Members of the ensemble are Mrs. August Brazeau, Isadore Stein, Mrs. Clara Somers, violins; Elie DeDryver, cello; Mrs. Arol Beck, viola; Arol Beck, bass, and Mrs. James L. Rouman, piano.

Mrs. August Brazeau is a housewife, who teaches violin. A pupil of the late Frank Karas, she attended the University of Wisconsin summer music clinic. She was a member of the Cloverland Symphony. Engaged in the mens and womens apparel business, Isadore Stein was one of the organizers of the present ensemble. He studied violin with Mrs. Ethel Dewy Markham, the sisters of St. Anne's and the late Ulrich Zachaty. He was concert master of the Cloverland Symphony Orchestra, a former musical group.

A husband and wife team, Mr. and Mrs. Arol Beck, are members of the seven musicians of the string ensemble. Mrs. Beck, a graduate of Alabama College, studied at Birmingham Conservatory of Music. She was first violist of Civic Symphony Orchestra in Birmingham, Ala.; Memphis, Tenn., and Albuquerque, N. M. A. E. Beck, local businessman, studied music at the University of Michigan, Chicago Conservatory of Music and DePaul University. He, like Mrs. Beck, was a member of the Birmingham, Ala.; Memphis, Tenn., and Albuquerque, N. M., Civic Symphony Orchestras.

String instrumental teacher in the Escanaba city schools for the past five years, Mrs. Clara Somers is one of the group. She studied violin with her late father, Frank Karas, and was a member of the Lansing Civic Symphony for two years. Mrs. Somers attended the National Music Camp at Interlochen, Mich., this past summer. Pianist, Mrs. James L. Rouman, a kindergarten teacher, studied six years of piano with the late Mrs. Mabel Sumner of Escanaba. She is a graduate of Northwestern University and did music lyceum work while a student there.

A graduate of the Conservatory of Brussels, Belgium, Elie DeDryver plays cello in the group. He played with the Conservatory Orchestra and National Orchestra of Belgium. Mr. DeDryver is a local businessman.

Instrumental musical numbers will be presented during the evening. Other features of the program will include a surprise package booth with Mrs. David Buckley and Mrs. Joseph Reese in charge, and a candy booth conducted by Mrs. Don Guindon and Mrs. Pauline Olson.

Refreshments will be served after the play. Donations will be received for the church fund and the public is invited to attend the program.

Comprising the cast are Mesdames Clifford Frasher, John Uhman, Alex Cathcart, Francis Bolm, Harry Blixt, John Holland and Felix Johnson. The play is directed by Miss Anona Anderson.

The Evening Circle of Central Methodist Church will present a three-act Christmas comedy play, "Come Anytime," at 8 p. m. Thursday, Dec. 9, at the church.

Members of the Evening Circle will meet at 7 p. m. tonight at the church for rehearsal in preparation for the program.

Comprising the cast are Mesdames Clifford Frasher, John Uhman, Alex Cathcart, Francis Bolm, Harry Blixt, John Holland and Felix Johnson. The play is directed by Miss Anona Anderson.

The American Union Sunday School of Ford River will hold its Christmas program at the Ford River Mill School Tuesday, Dec. 7, at 8 p. m.

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Delta Bridge League Met Saturday Night

A duplicate bridge contest was enjoyed Saturday evening at the House of Ludington by a rather small but enthusiastic group of regulars. These contests are open to all bridge players of the area, and all desiring to participate will be welcomed.

The next session, scheduled for Friday, Dec. 10, with registration starting at 8 p. m. will be not only the Monthly Master Point Game, but the final wind-up prior to recess until Jan. 7. All members are urged to attend as this will be a special party event with refreshments served after play.

High scores for the last session: 1st—Mrs. G. E. Dehlin-Mrs. August Altese, 32½ M. P. 2nd—Mrs. L. P. Treiber-Mrs. Fred Hoyer, 28½. 3rd—Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Friets, 24½.

The 4th-5th—Mrs. A. Rusha-Mrs. Ernest Desilets, 23. The 4th-5th—Mrs. Anna Earle-Mr. B. M. Howe, 23.

6th—Mrs. H. J. Rife-Mrs. W. P. Belanger, 18½. 7th—Mrs. J. A. Lemmer-Mrs. Anna Kraus, 18.

Bridge players un-acquainted with duplicate play will find this type of contest most interesting and instructive, also worth-while in improving their game. Match point scoring is based upon making the most out of the good or poor hands held. Score comparisons are made only with the results of other participants holding exactly the same cards at other tables.

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Wells P.T.A.
The Christmas meeting of the Wells P.T.A. will be held Tuesday, Dec. 7, at 8 p. m. A short business meeting will be held. Manley Anderson, director of the Escanaba Music Center, will

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bring the Accordionaires, a group of 12 girls, to present a concert. A social hour will follow.

Newcomers Club Dance
A Christmas dinner dance will be held Saturday night, Dec. 11, sponsored by the Newcomers Club, at 7:30 at the Delta Hotel. Deadline for purchasing tickets is Tuesday, Dec. 7. Members who wish to purchase tickets should contact the committee. Any newcomers who have not been contacted may call Mrs. Paul McClellan, 2986.

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AP Newsfeatures
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Use Bells For Winter Driving
GRAND RAPIDS, Mich. (AP)—Folks living in Michigan's Upper Peninsula learned recently that it's against the law to go sleigh riding without bells on the horses "or mules as the case may be." That and other laws, musty but still valid, were uncovered at a recent meeting of the Michigan Probation and Parole Assn. Another statute makes it a mis-

demeanor to taunt or accuse another person of having been a convict or inmate of "any jail, prison or reformatory."

BLANK SPOT
Sacred history leaves a blank leaf between the Old Testament and the New Testament. Four hundred years passed after Malachi had uttered his last word before the beginning of the period of which Matthew writes.

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By Chic Young



By Fred Lasswell



Beetle Bailey By Mort Walker



Priscilla's Pop By Al Vermeer



Grandma By Charles Kuhn



Li'l Abner By Al Capp



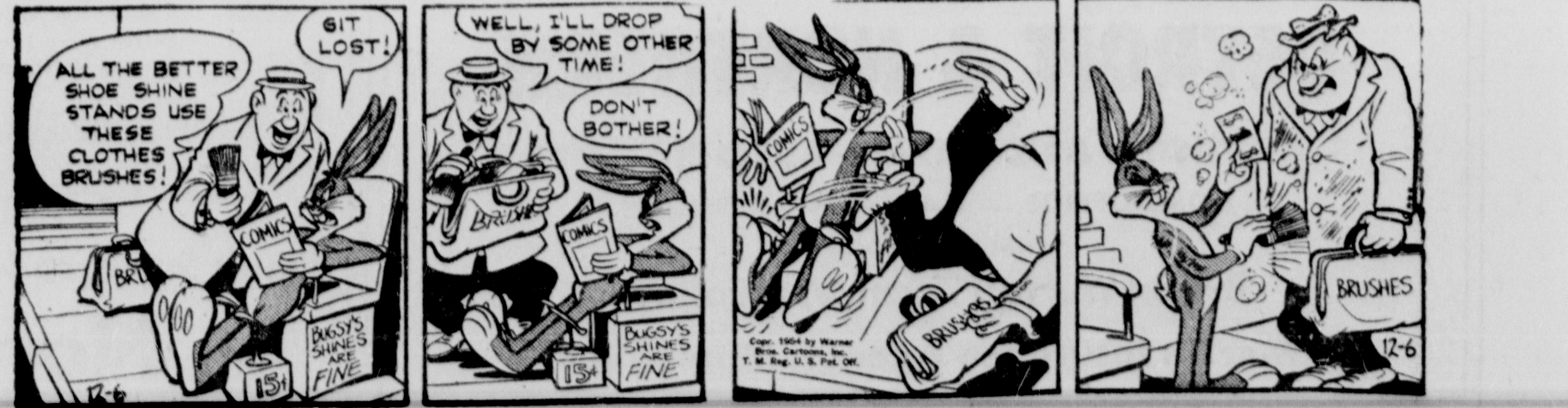
Mark Trail By Ed Dodd



Steve Canyon By Milton Caniff



Bugs Bunny



Hunter Survey Is Made Here

Deer hunter census cards have been distributed by the Schoolcraft County Sportsmen's club, to determine the deer kill here, Merwin White, president, reports.

The cards, he said, are being circulated among both members and non-members to determine hunter success in the past three years. Hunters also are being quizzed as to whether or not there appear to be more or less deer than in other years.

About 50 cards will be circulated in the county and the data obtained will be sent to the Northern Michigan Sportsmen's association, White stated.

The Schoolcraft Sportsmen's group also is making plans to reopen negotiations with officials of the State Conservation department on a public fishing site on Indian Lake, near Perch Bay. The club has been working to obtain such a site for the past two years, to enhance ice fishing conditions particularly, White states.

Public access points are now available on the lake at the end of roads leading to it and at Big Spring Bay. Perch, Walleye, some bass, large northern pike and "Cisco" whitefish are taken from the lake.

The Sportsmen's club now is preparing a report on employment of prison labor at the fish hatchery at Thompson, and on grievances of civil service employees there, and this will be submitted to James Scully of Marquette, regional fisheries supervisor of the Conservation Department.

New officers are to be elected by the group here Dec. 16. A nominating committee consisting of Earl Cox, Oscar Johnson and Russell Brunet has been appointed.

At its meeting last week, the club tabled a proposal to allow feminine memberships, until a site for a clubhouse is obtained. Current memberships in the organization expire Dec. 31.



ENGAGED—Cecil Gonder, Rt. 1, Manistique, is announcing the engagement of his daughter, Shirley, to Norvin LeFebvre, son of Mrs. Mary LeFebvre, of Grand Marais. A January wedding is planned.

Soloist Named For 'Messiah'

Four soloists will be featured here Sunday night when the Manistique Choral Club again presents Handel's "Messiah" as its Christmas gift to the community. The annual free concert is scheduled at 8:15 p. m., in the high school auditorium.

Appearing with the club will be Mrs. Alfred A. Gossan, soprano, and Mrs. Cory Hartbarger, contralto, of Escanaba; Roland Schwitzgoebel, Bass, of Marquette, and J. Earl Cousineau, Manistique, tenor.

Mrs. James H. Fyvie, former student of Robert Casadesu at the American Conservatoire in Fontainebleau, France, again is directing the singers. A graduate of Olivet College, she has been the club's director since it was organized in 1946.

Accompanist for the 82 singers is Mrs. John Orr, of Manistique, a pianist who began studies in India at the age of seven. She has studied in England under Prof. Alfred Klee and passed examinations of the Royal Academy of Music.

Mrs. Gossan, who is appearing with the club for the first time, won a student scholarship to the National Music Camp at Interlochen, while living in Iron Mountain, and afterwards studied at Juillard School of Music in New York. Following graduation from high school she studied under the famed Italian, Ettore Tito Ruffo, for two years, and at the American Conservatory of Music, with Barre Hill. The latter offered her the soprano lead of Santuzza in "Cavalleria Rusticana," an opera by Mascagni, which was to be given at Interlochen, but she declined the offer due to marriage.

Mrs. Hartbarger, a graduate of Park College in Missouri, formerly toured with the Westminster choir. Before moving to Escanaba, where she is a music teacher, she taught in Kingsford schools and in Fairfax Hall Junior College in Virginia.

Schwitzgoebel, who teaches social science at Northern Michigan College of Education in Marquette, has previously taught music in Wisconsin high schools, has given recitals in Rockford, Ill., and Beloit and Milwaukee, Wis., and is a soloist with the choir of St. Paul, Episcopal church at Marquette. He studied in Chicago under Harriet Case, Paul McMains and Tuila Miller.

Cousineau, who teaches in the public schools here, has studied at Illinois Wesleyan University under Dean Arthur Westbrook and at Champaign, Ill., under Alenora Catnot. He was coached for two years by Grave Grove and has sung with both the Apollo club and the A Capella choir, at Wesleyan, and with the Baltimore and Ohio Glee Club in Baltimore, Md.

Mrs. H. G. Hansen left today for Milwaukee where she will spend several days visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Kenneth Olson.

Social

Bridge Club
Mrs. Emmet McNamara, Lake St., entertained members of her bridge club Thursday evening at her home.

Prizes were awarded to Mrs. William McKenzie Sr., Mrs. Victor Schuster and Mrs. Harvey McLaughlin.

Lunch was served.

Mrs. Bud Malloy was a guest of the club.

Mrs. Malloch Honored
Mrs. Earl Malloch Sr., was presented a gift by the Zion Lutheran Ladies' Aid at its recent meeting, in appreciation of her services as president.

The presentation was made during the group's annual Christmas party, by Mrs. Franklyn Burgess.

The program, for which Mrs. Noah Inbody was chairman, included Christmas carols played by Mrs. Scott Creighton, pianist; meditation and prayer by Mrs. Inbody; a candlelight service in which the chairman was Mesdames Julius Settergren, Omer Dybek, Ed Mathson, John Ott, and T. H. Reque participated; and a vocal solo by Mrs. Settergren.

Gifts were exchanged and pot luck lunch was served by Mesdames Sam Anderson, Verner Ekstrom, Donald Klagstad, Ray Ramsden, Reuben Peterson, William Wieland and Clyde Lyntz.

Jacob Dahlvik Dies Sunday

Jacob Dahlvik, 86, died Sunday at 8 p. m. at Schoolcraft Memorial Hospital following a long illness.

Born in Vasa, Finland on March 17, 1868, he came to the United States in 1894. Mr. Dahlvik farmed on the River Road until his retirement in 1944. For the past several years, he had been at Cloverland Lodge in Manistique. His wife, Hannah, died Jan. 4, 1945. He was a member of Bethel Baptist Church.

Surviving are two sons, Everett of Escanaba and Oscar of Muskegon.

The body was brought to the Kefauver and Jackson Funeral Home.

Funeral services are tentatively set for Tuesday at 2 p. m. by Rev. Douglas Stimers officiating. Burial will be made in Lakeview Cemetery.

Dairy Farm Checks Start

The annual inspection of area farms which supply milk to dairies in Alger and Schoolcraft counties started today, Robert A. Charland, sanitarian for the bi-county health department reports.

General sanitation of dairy barns is checked, and recommendations then are made for improvement, if needed.

In addition to the yearly farm inspection, the health department here takes samples once a month of all milk sold in the area, for bacteriological analysis in the state laboratory at Powers.

City Briefs

1-Lt. Robert J. Garrett has returned to his base at George AFB, Victorville, Calif., after spending a 10-day leave here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Garrett, 625 Michigan Ave., and other relatives and friends in Escanaba.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Zielbeck, of Grand Rapids, are visiting here with relatives. They were called here because of the illness of her mother, Mrs. John Soligny.

LCDR Dan J. Garrett, who is stationed at an air base in Argentina, Newfoundland, spent a week here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Garrett, 625 Michigan Ave. He will be moving his family to Traverse City Air and Rescue Station in January, where he will be stationed.

Sgt. and Mrs. Gilbert Verbit, and Gilbert Jr., and Julie Ann, N. Mackinac Ave., left Saturday for Merrill, Wis., where Mrs. Verbit and children will visit until after Christmas. Sgt. Verbit returned home Sunday.

Mrs. R. L. Dickie returned today to Ft. Monroe, Va., after visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. C. Vernon Johnson, for the past 10 days.

Briefly Told

Choir Practice—The choir of Zion Lutheran Church will practice in the church at 7 p. m., Tuesday.

Staff Meeting—The church school staff of the Bethel Baptist Church will meet in the church at 7:45 tonight.

Class Reunion—Members of the Class of 1935 will meet at 8 p. m., Tuesday, Dec. 7, at the First National Bank conference room to make plans for their reunion.

Mom's Party—Mom's Unit No. 31 will hold its annual Christmas party at the home of Mrs. Minola Weber, 331 Oak St., Thursday night. The party begins with a pot

Class Of 1949 Plans Reunion

The Gladstone High School Class of 1949 will hold its five year reunion during the coming holiday season. Plans are now underway for the reunion to be held at the Dells Supper Club on Tuesday, Dec. 28. A turkey banquet is scheduled for 7, with a social hour to take place previous to the dinner.

It is expected that a majority of the graduates will attend. The committee is requesting that all graduates in the area turn in their reservations as soon as possible in order that plans may be completed.

Reservations may be mailed or phoned to any of the reunion committee: Mrs. Peter Peterson (9696), Mrs. Douglas Madden (9-3851), Marilyn Bredahl (5531) and Marilyn Nelson (7861).

Bowling Notes

WEDNESDAY MIDNIGHT			
Terrace	26	7	L
Plumberettes	22	15	L
Ren's Beer	18	15	L
Clairmont's	15	18	L
Chums	15	18	L
Northern Builders	14	19	L
Paper Mill	13	20	L
Delishus Potato Chips	9	24	L
High averages—J. Gillis 150, T. Quinn 144, M. Haglund 136, E. Lamberg 136, B. Peterson 132.			
HTG—Terrace, 693; HTM—Terrace, 2025; HIG—T. Quinn, 199; HIM—T. Quinn, 478.			

AMERICAN LEAGUE			
Olson's Men's Wear	21	9	L
Stroh's Beer	19	11	L
Skid's Colonial Inn	18	12	L
Gladstone Bakery	18	12	L
Scott's Dairy	16	14	L
Idle Hour	10	20	L
Rapid River Merchants	10	20	L
Coca Cola	8	22	L
High averages—Lloyd Forsvill 188, Alie Knutson 176, Walter Vandeweghe 176, Paul Nyberg 172, Harold Mackie 170.			
HTG—Gladstone Bakery, 652; HTM—Gladstone Bakery, 2688; HIG—Lloyd Forsvill, 237; HIM—Lloyd Forsvill, 642.			

NATIONAL LEAGUE			
Marble Cards	17	13	L
Marble Arms	16	14	L
Bulvaots	16	14	L
Soo Line	16	14	L
Jack's	15	15	L
Linton House	14	16	L
Alger-Delta	14	16	L
Northern Wood	12	18	L
High averages—Vernon Long 179, Floyd Van Daele 179, Rob Olson 176, Walter Johnson 175, Harold Apgren 174.			
HTG—Jack's, 652; HTM—Jack's, 2639; HIG—Floyd Van Daele, 234; HIM—F. Van Daele, 600, N. Apgren, 600.			

TWILIGHT LEAGUE			
Marble Arms	24	6	L
Richmond and Hawley	21½	11½	L
Vine's	19	14	L
Arcaettes	18	15	L
Drewry's	16	17	L
Wally's	14½	17½	L
Emmon's	11	22	L
Stella's	8	25	L
High averages—Lucille Miller 153, Elizabeth Nelson 148, Lois Norkoll 148, Ruth Trudeau 147, Yelma Nyberg 142.			
HTG—Arcaettes, 763; HTM—Vine's, 2958; HIG—Judv Derusha, 186; HIM—Lucille Miller, 477.			

THURSDAY LEAGUE			
Larry's Bar	26	7	L
Yacht Club	25½	11½	L
Kelley's	22	11	L
Hughes Motors	14½	18½	L
Swenson's	14	19	L
Gibb's	14	9	L
DuRoy's	12	21	L
Beuchamp's	7	26	L
High averages—Gerry Domres 154, Lucille Miller 154, Theresa Gillis 153, Josie Kinkella 148, Theresa Kennedy 148, Marion Peterson 147, Micky Naylor 147.			
HTG—Yacht Club, 758; HTM—Larry's, 2220; HIG—Ruth Hamilton, 192; HIM—Gerry Domres, 527.			

Social

Bridge Club
Mrs. Orville Hoover entertained her bridge club Friday evening at her home at 1111 Minnesota Ave. High score was made by Mrs. Herb Lundmark, second by Mrs. C. B. Fitzpatrick and the hundred honor award went to the hostess. A dessert luncheon was served.

Corn, America's most important food plant, definitely is a native of this hemisphere, with a North American history of at least 60,000 years.

luck supper at 6 p. m.

Westminster Fellowship—Presbyterian Junior High Westminster Fellowship will meet in the church at 7 tonight. A dress rehearsal for the play "Holiday House" will be held.

Blessed Martin Circle—The Blessed Martin Circle will hold its Christmas party on Thursday at the home of Mrs. William Barker, Pearl St. The meeting will begin with a 6:30 p. m., pot luck supper.

Mason Meeting—Hiawatha Council 27 of the Royal and Select Masons will hold their annual meeting and election of officers Wednesday, Dec. 8, at 7:30 p. m. at the Masonic Temple. All members should attend.

On Committee—Dr. A. J. Radgens, William Manning, Gordon Denny, Don McNally, Richard Hoppins and Clyde Marquardt are serving on the committee in charge of the Manistique Rifle and Pistol club's banquet to be held Wednesday night at the National Guard Armory. Members of the club will have a shooting match beginning at 5 p. m., and the banquet will begin at 7. Officers will be elected during the business meeting.



Winifred Larson

Winifred Larson, well-known vocal soloist and recording artist will appear at Bethel Free Church at 7:30 Wednesday evening. It was announced today.

From Belvidere, Ill., Miss Larson has been heard from coast to coast as well as in the British Isles and the Scandinavian countries in her ministry of music.

It will be the first appearance in this area of the talented gospel singer.

All are invited to attend.

Close Race In Masonic Smear

Elmer Peterson's team went into first place in the Masonic smear tournament in the last session of play with John Strand going into second and W. A. Aasve dropping from first to third. Strand had high for the night with 77.

Only five points separate the first three teams and only 9 points the first four, so close has been the current race.

Cumulative scores are Elmer Peterson 206, John Strand 205, W. A. Aasve 201, Cecil Jones 197, Walter Houghton 188, Martin Caldwell 185, George Buckmiller 174, Maurice Buckmiller 154, Swan Widar 153, A. D. Harris 138, Elmer Green 135 and Louis Bizeau 110.

This week's play on Wednesday night will see one of the feature battles of the tourney for the Peterson and Strand teams, now only one point apart, are scheduled to meet. Other pairings are Aasve vs. Jones, Bizeau vs. Houghton, Green vs. G. Buckmiller, Harris vs. M. Buckmiller and Widar vs. Caldwell.

Tabitha Society Plans Yule Party

The Tabitha Society of the First Lutheran Church will have its annual Christmas party at the church parlors Thursday afternoon. A special program is being arranged for the occasion after which refreshments will be served.

The committee in charge is composed of Mrs. Charles Green, Mrs. Norman Korinek, Mrs. Leonard Elquist and Mrs. William Nelson. Friends are invited.

Car Hits Ditch, Two Teen-Agers Receive Injuries

Two teen-age youths received minor injuries when an auto in which they were passengers failed to negotiate a curve and overturned on County Road L-7 in Nahma township about 1¼ miles south of US-2 Sunday afternoon about 3:30.

Injured were Howard Hebert, 16, Route 1, Ensign, and his brother, Robert Hebert, 14, of the same address. Howard sustained lacerations on the left side of the face while Robert has a shoulder injury of undetermined nature.

The two were riding in an auto driven by Gary Paul Groleau, 17, of St. Jacques. Michigan State Police, to whom the accident was reported last evening, were told that young Groleau, driving an auto owned by his father, was attempting to make a left hand turn in the road when he went off the road and into the ditch.

Howard is a patient at Schoolcraft Memorial Hospital, Manistique.

Briefly Told

Legion Meeting—The August Mattson Post of the American Legion will meet tonight at 8 at the Legion Hall.

Cane Band Meeting—The December meeting of the band booster club scheduled for Tuesday evening has been cancelled.

Job's Daughters—A practice will be held at the Gladstone Bethel of Job's Daughters this evening at 7:30 at the Masonic hall.

Choir Practice—Choir rehearsal for the Mission Covenant choir will be held at the church at 7:30 this evening.

Religion Class—A class in religion for Catholic students attending public high school will be held at 7:30 this evening in All Saints' parish hall.

Obituary

EDWARD S. PRIM

Funeral services for Edward S. Prim were held at 2 Saturday afternoon at the Skradski Funeral home. Elder Rex Stowe, officiated at the services. During the services Rex Allan Stowe sang, "In the Garden." He was accompanied by his mother.

Burial was made in the family lot in Fernwood Cemetery.

Pallbearers were Garnet McGilviray, Douglas Stowe, Russell Sarasin, Vernon Rasmussen, Delos Coppock and Raymond King.

Out of town persons attending the services were Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Engle, Toledo, O., Alvin Dean Prim, Decatur, Mich., Edward Prim, Detroit; Mr. and Mrs. John Peterson, Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Flath, Route One Escanaba, and Mr. and Mrs. Mike Prim, Danforth.

City Briefs

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Johns and family, Marquette, visited over the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Hugh McMillan.

A Theodore Sohberg spent the weekend visiting in Chicago.

Mrs. Dick Schram and son Jeffery, 1402 Lake Shore Drive and Mrs. Frank Hill of Iron Mountain left this morning for Green Bay where Jeffery will receive medical treatment.

More people get more news from newspapers than from all other sources combined.

Stores Open On Monday Evenings

In order to accommodate Christmas shoppers Gladstone business houses will be open both Monday and Friday evenings until nine, beginning today. It is probable that stores will be open three or four evenings on Christmas week. Christmas eve the closing hour will be 5:30.

GREAT RIVER

The Yukon is one of the greatest rivers in North America. It is navigable for 177 miles, from its mouth on the Bering Sea in western Alaska, to Whitehorse in Canada's Yukon Territory.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks to neighbors, friends and relatives for the assistance and sympathy tendered us at the time of our recent bereavement, the death of our beloved wife and mother.

Especially are we grateful to those who sent spiritual and floral bouquets, offered autos for the services, the pallbearers and all others who by word or deed assisted us at this time. The memory of these acts always will remain with us.

Signed:

The Family of
Mrs. Clayton Holtzapfel.

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Rapid River Drubs Bark River Cage Team By 98 To 27 Margin

STANDINGS			Thursday		
Team	W	L	Trenary at Nahma		
Perkins	3	0	Friday		
Rock	3	0	Rock at Bark River		
Rapid River	2	1	Saturday		
Eben	1	1	Eben at Rapid River		
Nahma	1	2	RAPID RIVER—The fast-stepping Rapid River Rockets zoomed to a 98-27 Central League victory over Bark River-Harris here Saturday night. The win puts Coach Roger Carlson's quint in third place in the league standings with two wins and one loss.		
Trenary	1	2	The veteran Rapid River team opened with a blistering first		
Bark River	0	1	period attack which netted a 31-6 lead. Rapid River's starting five came off the court at the end of the first period and was never sent back into action.		
Cooks	0	4	Guard Larry Paul took scoring honors for Rapid with 17. Wayne Christoff scored 16. Paul Goodman 15. All are juniors. Ray Johnson and Bob Olson also scored in double figures with 12 points each.		
Schedule:			Roy Nelson's six points paced the inexperienced Broncos who were playing their first game of the season.		
Tuesday			Key Central League game of the week will have Perkins and Rock, tied at the head of the standings, meeting Tuesday night at the Rock gym.		
Grand Marais at Cooks			In the Bee team game Saturday night the Rapid River Reserves won 66-26.		
Negaunee St. Paul at Eben			Box score:		
Rapid River at J. D. Pierce			Rapid River		

Dodgers And Reds In Baseball Trade Talk

By JOE REICHLER

NEW YORK (AP)—The major leagues opened their annual winter meetings today and the big talk centered on the proposed trade between the Brooklyn Dodgers and the Cincinnati Reds.

Some quarters said the teams already have completed a five-player deal, but this was denied. The two clubs definitely have a trade in the making, though. The key player would be Brooklyn's Junior Gilliam, the Negro infielder who may have lost favor with the front office. Both the Reds and Philadelphia are interested in him.

The Phillies have offered catcher Smokey Burgess and a young outfielder, as yet unidentified. The Reds have suggested a package deal involving Fred Baczewski, left-handed pitcher, for Gilliam and either veteran Russ Meyer or youngster Bobo Milliken, both right-handed pitchers.

Alternate Deal

As late as Sunday night, E. J. (Buzzie) Bavasi, Dodger vice-president, was deliberating the offer.

The Reds have an alternate deal with the St. Louis Cardinals brewing if they fail to land Gilliam. They are seeking a second

baseman with the idea of shifting Johnny Temple to third. Relief pitcher Frank Smith is the Cincinnati bait.

Brooklyn also is expected to do some business with the American League. The Dodgers finally have obtained waivers on Billy Cox and are dickering with Cleveland and Baltimore for the sale of the veteran third baseman. Cox will go to the highest bidder. The asking price is \$40,000 plus one or two players of minor league caliber.

Yanks And Sox

The New York Yankees and Boston Red Sox were reported to have had conversation regarding Yankee third baseman Gil McDougald. The Red Sox reportedly have offered outfielder Karl Olson and southpaw Bill Henry.

The major leagues were almost certain at their meeting to reject an amendment, adopted by the minors last week, to ban commercial telecasts and broadcasts of baseball games outside a club's home territory.

There was a 50-50 chance, however, that the big leagues would agree to reduce their player limit from 25 to 23, thereby allowing two more players to be sent an option to the minors.

Rapid River	FG	FT	PF	TP
Huff	0	0	0	0
Hamilton	3	2	0	8
J. Johnson	4	1	0	9
Wolf	1	0	0	2
Olson	5	2	2	12
Paul	8	1	2	17
Christoff	8	0	4	16
Harwood	1	0	2	2
R. Johnson	6	0	1	12
Goodman	7	1	3	15
Whipple	2	1	2	5
Totals	45	8	16	98
Bark River-Harris	FG	FT	PF	TP
Godelwski	1	0	2	2
Charbonneau	2	1	2	5
DuBord	1	0	0	2
Nelson	3	0	3	6
Goedert	2	4	4	4
Kasbolm	1	1	2	3
Krause	0	0	0	0
Viau	0	1	0	1
Totals	10	7	13	27

Score by quarters:
Rapid River 31 21 25 21—98
Bark River-Harris 6 7 8 6—27
Officials: Ranguette and Reque, Manistique.

Big Ten Teams Suffer Four Saturday Defeats

CHICAGO (AP)—Iowa, Indiana and Wisconsin tonight will be out to improve on an 11-4 record posted by Big Ten teams against non-conference foes in the early stages of the present basketball season.

All four losses were suffered Saturday night, one of them a stunning 84-78 upset handed Michigan State by Detroit.

Iowa, Illinois and Ohio State are undefeated after playing two games and Indiana, Michigan and Northwestern came through with victories in their openers.

Purdue split a pair of games in the East defeating Rutgers and losing to Penn, 69-68.

Minnesota Beaten

Wisconsin was dumped by Notre Dame, 72-61, in its opener as was Minnesota, 94-93, in an overtime against DePaul. Wisconsin meets Western Michigan tonight.

Iowa, No. 1 contender in the Big Ten race, should be able to make it three straight against Nebraska. The balanced Hawkeyes swept by Loyola of Chicago, 89-79, Saturday night.

Indiana's defending champions had little trouble with pesky Valparaiso. The Hoosiers won 77-66 with Wally Choice leading the way.

Choice pumped in 29 points and Don Schlundt, playing about half Hoosiers play Missouri tonight.

Freeman Hits 38

Ohio State's Robin Freeman continued his record-making pace with 38 points against Butler as the Buckeyes won 98-80. Freeman netted 42 points in Ohio State's opening 98-87 triumph over Pitt.

Illinois continued to hold down the opponent by limiting Missouri to 49 points in a 77-49 victory. Earlier, the Illini shackled Butler, 88-34.

Michigan came up with a sophomore star in Jim Shearon and smacked Pitt, 101-71. Shearon scored 15 points in the second half and bagged a total of 17 for the night. Don Eaddy, however, was high-point man for the Wolves with 20.

Grants Leads Wildcats

Northwestern's Bud Grant netted 27 points to lead the Wildcats to an 87-63 opening victory over Western Michigan. Northwestern faces a stiffer test Wednesday against Notre Dame.

Favored Minnesota was surprised by a well-balanced, hard hitting DePaul team. Trailing 93-92 with 17 seconds left, DePaul guard Ron Sobieszczyk stole the ball and scored to give DePaul a 94-93 triumph. Minnesota's Chuck Mencil and Dick Garmaker lived up to expectations with 25 points each.

Michigan State, an 11 point favorite over Detroit, fought on even terms throughout regulation play but Detroit made its free throws count in the overtime period for a 6 point victory.

Late Touchdown Gives Lions Western Crown

By ORLO ROBERTSON

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

One-half of the National Football League's championship bracket was filled today by the familiar Detroit Lions. And the other half figures to be occupied by the even more familiar Cleveland Browns for the title game Dec. 26.

The Lions wrapped up their third straight Western Division title and a chance at their third successive league crown by rallying for a touchdown in the final four minutes Sunday to tie the Philadelphia Eagles 13-13.

At the same time the Browns clinched at least a tie for the Eastern Division title — an honor carried off by Paul Brown's club the last five years. The Browns ground out a methodical 34-14 victory over the Washington Redskins.

Giants Hang On

The surprising New York Giants, however, maintained a mathematical chance of tying the Browns by defeating the Pittsburgh Steelers 24-3. The Browns, with an 8-2 record, meet Pittsburgh next Sunday and close out the regular campaign on the 19th against Detroit. New York (7-4) winds up against Philadelphia Sunday.

In other games Sunday the Chicago Bears strengthened their hold on second place in the Western Division with a 29-7 decision over the Chicago Cardinals and San Francisco, still in the running for second place back of the Lions. Shut out Green Bay 35-0. Baltimore surprised by defeating Los Angeles 22-21 Saturday.

The Lions, beaten only by San Francisco this season, faced a 13-6 deficit with the four minutes to play. Then they sent Lew Carpenter over from a yard out and Don Walker kicked the tying extra point for his 38th without a miss.

Eagles Were Tough

Before that, however, the Eagles pushed the Lions all over the frozen turf. Adrian Burk pitched the Eagles into a 13-3 lead on touchdown passes to Pete Pihos and Bobby Walston. Walston missed the try for the extra point after his score and that cost the Eagles the victory. Detroit's first six points came on field goals by Walker.

The Bears made the most of seven pass interceptions in smothering the Cardinals. It wasn't until the last three seconds that the Cardinals were able to score.

Joe Perry passed the 1,000-yard mark for the second season as he picked up 137 yards in 20 carries in pacing the 49ers to their shutout triumph over Green Bay before 33,715.

STANDINGS

Eastern Conference

W	L	T	Pct.	Pts.	OP
Cleveland	8	2	0	.800	284 141
New York	7	4	0	.637	279 155
Philadelphia	6	4	1	.600	255 216

Western Conference

Detroit	8	1	1	.889	299 151
Chi. Bears	7	4	0	.637	273 255
San Fran'co	6	4	1	.600	303 244
Los Angeles	5	5	1	.500	279 258
Green Bay	4	7	0	.364	207 216
Baltimore	3	8	0	.273	124 269

Sunday's Results

San Francisco	35	Green Bay	0
Philadelphia	13	Detroit	13 (tie)
Cleveland	34	Washington	14
New York	24	Pittsburgh	3
Chicago Bears	29	Chicago Cardinals	7

Saturday's Results

Baltimore	22	Los Angeles	21
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Orioles And White Sox Complete Player Deal

NEW YORK (AP)—The Chicago White Sox today completed a seven player deal with the Baltimore Orioles with catcher Clint Courtney moving to the Sox as the big name in the trade.

Going with Courtney to Chicago were pitcher Bob Chakales and infielder Jim Brideweser in exchange for pitchers Don Johnson and Don Ferrarese, infielder Fred Marsh and catcher Matt Batts.

The announcement was made here as the major leagues opened their three-day winter meetings.

No Cash Involved

Ed Short, press director for the White Sox, said the swap was a straight player transaction involving no cash.

Courtney has been sought by several clubs including the Cleveland Indians ever since he broke in with the old St. Louis Browns. He is regarded as a high spirited competitor, a good hand-ler of pitchers but only a moderate hitter. He compiled a .270 average in 122 games with the Orioles in 1954.

Johnson is the No. 1 player going to the Orioles. A former New York Yankee farmhand, he appeared in 46 games and had an 8-7 record.

High On Chakales

Marty Marion, new manager of the White Sox, said he and General manager Frank Lane also hold high hopes for Chakales who moved from Cleveland to Baltimore early last season in a deal for Vic Wertz.

"I think he is a much better pitcher than he has proved so far," Marion said.

A righthander, Chakales finished last season with a 5-7 record. Brideweser, a part-time shortstop, hit .266 in 72 games. Marsh, the infielder going to Baltimore, appeared in 62 games for Chicago and hit .306 although he batted in only four runs.

Ferrarese is a little lefthanded pitcher bought from Oakland of the Pacific Coast League at the end of the season. He had an 18-15 record in a busy 1954 campaign.

Former Tiger Catcher

Batts came to the White Sox in May from Detroit and appeared in 67 games, hitting .235.

"We wanted catching strength," Marion said, "and I think we got it. The Orioles were interested in pitching and in Marsh."

The deal was completed by telephone during the night between Lane and the Baltimore General Manager Paul Richards who is at his home in Texas.

It is the second major swap engineered by Richards since he took over the Baltimore executive post at the end of the 1954 season. The other big deal was with the Yankees.

Order Autopsy In Death Of Washington Pro Star

By FRANK CORMIER

WASHINGTON (AP)—Authorities ordered an autopsy today in the death Sunday night of Dave Sparks, Washington Redskins tackle who collapsed about two hours after playing a National Football League game.

Sparks, 26-year-old former University of South Carolina star, died after dining at the home of a friend, Lt. Domenick Colella of nearby Arlington, Va.

Deck McCann, general manager of the Redskins, said doctors indicated they believe Sparks died of a heart attack.

Not Married

Sparks, a Lorain, Ohio, resident, was unmarried. Playing his second season as a professional, he suffered no apparent injury, except for hip bruises, in Sunday's game against the Cleveland Browns.

In 1948, Stan Mauldin, Chicago Cardinal lineman, died in the locker room of a heart attack after an All America Conference game against the Philadelphia Eagles. An NFL spokesman said his league had no record of deaths among its players.

McCann said Sparks complained of a chest pain at the Colella home and rested before dinner. He collapsed after the meal and was dead when police arrived.

The Redskins-Browns game was telecast in parts of the east and was watched in Lorain by Sparks' father, Walter, 49. The elder Sparks, a construction engineer,

Escanaba, Holy Name Will Travel For Weekend Games

Both Escanaba and Holy Name basketball teams are scheduled for games on the road this weekend with the Eskymos at Iron Mountain Friday night and the Crusaders at Manistique Saturday.

Iron Mountain surprised with a victory over Ishpeming in its opener last weekend. Manistique dropped a 59-37 verdict to Soo in its first game Friday night.

The Gladstone Braves, who trimmed Holy Name in convincing fashion Friday night, will be back in action against the Manistique Emeralds this Friday. The game will be played at the Gladstone gym.

This week's schedule:

Tuesday, Dec. 7

Niagara, Wis. at Iron Mountain
Crystal Falls at Norway
Ewen at Marenisco

Wednesday, Dec. 8

Calumet at Dollar Bay
National Mine at Champion
Ironwood St. Ambrose at Superior (Wis.) Cathedral

Thursday, Dec. 9

Doelle at Trout Creek
Iron River B at Bates
Trenary at Nahma

Friday, Dec. 10

Escanaba at Iron Mountain
Manistique at Gladstone

Marquette Baraga at Soo Loretto

Wakefield at Ontonagon
Cedarville at DeTour
Michiganville at Chassell
Grand Marais at Cooks
Negaunee St. Paul at Eben
Felch at Florence, Wis.
Rapid River at Marquette
Pierce

Perkins at Rock
Vulcan at Hermansville
Channing at Alpha

Saturday, Dec. 11

Calumet at Ishpeming
Escanaba Holy Name at Manistique

Negaunee at Sault Ste. Marie
Newberry at Canadian Soo
Collegiate

Bessemer at Houghton
Rudyard at Cheboygan
Eben at Rapid River
Pickford at Soo B
National Mine at Ishpeming B

Brennan Proud But Eyes Heavy Losses

By JOE MOOSHL

SOUTH BEND, Ind. (AP)—Coach Terry Brennan is proud of his Notre Dame football team and "very happy" over the outcome of the 1954 season.

But the 26-year-old successor to Frank Leahy is already worried about the 1955 opener against Southern Methodist, the same team the Irish whipped Saturday, 26-14.

"Southern Methodist had a lot of fine looking juniors out there," said Brennan after his team was greeted by some 2,000 fans Sunday night at the airport.

Lose Eight Starters

"We'll lose eight of our starting eleven men," he continued, "and we'll have to field practically a new line. So it's simple arithmetic that Southern Methodist will have the edge."

"But I'm happy, very happy," said Brennan looking back at Notre Dame's 9-1 record. The lone loss was a 27-14 decision at the hands of Purdue.

"Things looked dark after that Purdue game but the boys dug in and got better to win eight straight. By last Saturday the team had improved 100 per cent since the Purdue loss," he said.

Brennan refused to comment on what he thought Notre Dame and Purdue would do if they had played the game at the end of the season. "Let's say the day we played them they were the better team."

Lots of Pressure

Brennan admitted there was a lot of pressure on him after succeeding Leahy. But the former Notre Dame star can hold his own when it comes to matching first year records with his illustrious predecessors.

The great Knute Rockne in 1918 finished with three victories, one loss and two ties. Elmer Layden had a 6-3 mark in 1934 and Leahy's record in 1941 was eight wins and one tie.

Brennan unquestionably will be faced with a tremendous rebuilding job next season. Graduating are such stars as ends Paul Matz and Dan Shannon, tackles Sam Palumbo and Frank Varrichione, center Dick Szymanski, halfback Joe Heap and Ralph Guglielmi who Brennan singled out "as fine a quarterback as you'll find anywhere."

"They'll all be hard to replace," said Brennan, "but then we've a long winter ahead of us."

Fight Fans Get Good Mitt Show In Boston

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Offer the fans a good attraction and they'll make the turnstiles whirr, Boston promoter Sam Silverman offers the proof again Saturday night with an outstanding fight card topped by a 10-rounder between Tony DeMarco, Boston's hard-hitting welterweight contender, and jolting Joe Miceli of New York.

That match by itself would have assured Silverman of a profitable gate at the Boston Garden. But he threw in three more good bouts featuring local and national fighters and what'll he have? — a sellout crowd of around 13,000 and a gate of \$70,000.

Underneath the top bout, Silverman has matched featherweights Tommy Collins, once the idol of Boston, and Lulu Perez, of Brooklyn; lightweight George Araujo, former No. 1 lightweight contender from Providence, and Jackie Blair, of Dallas; and sailor Ed Sanders, Olympic heavyweight champion, and Boston's Willie James in a 12-rounder for the New England title.

Once-beaten Carmelo Costa, seventh-ranking featherweight contender from Brooklyn, is a 12-5 favorite to whip Bobby Bell, ex-GI from Youngstown, Ohio, in a 10-rounder at Brooklyn's Eastern Parkway Arena tonight.

ABC will telecast at 9 p. m., Cst.

Italy's Italo Scorticini and Cuba's Chico Varona are rated

American Tennis Aces Win Aussie Tournament

By WILL GRIMSLEY

MELBOURNE, (AP)—America's Davis Cup doubles combination of Vic Seixas and Tony Trabert staged a stirring comeback today to beat Australia's Wimbledon Champions, Rex Hartwig and Merwyn Rose, in the finals of the Victorian Tennis Championships, 4-6, 5-7, 6-3, 6-4, 6-2.

The triumph, following the semi-final conquest of Australia's other tandem of Lewis Hoad and Ken Rosewall, buoyed United States cup hopes and virtually eliminated Hartwig and Rose from challenge round consideration.

"I don't think the selectors would dare take a chance with Rose," said Colin Long, former Australian player who writes for the Melbourne Sun.

Talbert Pleased

Bill Talbert, the U. S. Captain, took the triumph calmly. He said he was "very pleased" but was not interpreting it as a sure doubles point in the Davis Cup competition.

"I thought the boys won without having to extend themselves,"

learned of his son's death while watching another television program.

Game Standout

A friend related that the news "just didn't soak in at first. Walter sat there like he was stunned. Then he went all to pieces."

Young Sparks' mother died three years ago.

Sparks was a standout performer in Sunday's game. The Redskins lost, 34-14, but Sparks' play on both offense and defense was a big factor in making a close contest of Washington's meeting with the division-leading Browns. Sparks wore number 68.

A 6-foot-1, 238-pounder, Sparks captained the South Carolina team in 1950, his senior year. He also won All America honorable mention.

meet their old rivals, the Cleveland Browns, in the championship game Dec. 26. The Browns clinched at least a tie for the Eastern Division crown Sunday by whipping Washington, 34-14.

Packers Won Three

The Green Bay Packers won three straight NFL titles in 1929-30-31, but that was before the League was split into two divisions. There was no championship game in those days.

Detroit, therefore, will get its chance to record a bit of history the day after Christmas. Previously, the Chicago Bears and Philadelphia Eagles failed in their bids for three straight titles.

The Lions were given a rough afternoon by the Eagles, who went into the game as 13-point underdogs and came out with a moral victory. Led by tackles Frank Kilroy and Mike Jarmoluk, a pair of 250-pound ruffians, the Philadelphia line pressured Detroit quarterback Bobby Layne all the way.

Layne Injured

Layne suffered a broken nose in addition to re-injuring his shoulder. He may miss the Lions' final two games against the Chicago Bears and Cleveland. He is expected to be ready for the title game.

With Adrian Burk pitching two touchdown passes — his 20th and 21st of the season — the Eagles swept into a 13-3 lead early in the third quarter. Burk hit Pete Pihos with a 23-yard touchdown strike in the second period and combined with Bobby Walston on a beautiful 75-yarder in the third period.

Walston, who sprinted the final 55 yards, missed his attempted conversion to leave the Lions a chance for a tie.

Doak Walker kicked a 34-yard field goal in the third quarter to make it 13-6.

Christiansen Intercepts

Then Layne was put out of commission with a busted nose. Tom Dublinski replaced him and twice led Detroit deep into Philadelphia

territory in the fourth period, only to lose the ball on an intercepted pass and a fumble.

With time running out, Burk tried a pass from deep in his own territory and Jack Christiansen, Detroit's defensive ace, intercepted it on the 39 and ran back to the 30.

On the first play, pass interference was called against Philadelphia's Harry Dowda and the Lions were given a first down on the four. Lew Carpenter slammed to the one, then swept wide to the left and raced across untouched.

Walker followed with his 38th extra point without a miss—and the Lions had their third straight Western Division title.

Kentucky And LaSalle Rated Among Top Teams

By ED CORRIGAN

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

A couple of familiar faces — Kentucky and La Salle — stood out today as the college basketball season entered the first full week of action around the country.

The Wildcats, in fact, have an opportunity to set a school record Saturday when they play Xavier of Ohio on the enemy court. They've already equalled their all-time winning streak of 26 games, and if they beat Xavier, Coach Adolph Rupp can point to another record.

The reconstructed Wildcats have played only one game, but it was an impressive 74-58 victory over Louisiana State Saturday night. The big gun was Phil (Cookie) Grawmeyer, a 6-7 veteran from last year's unbeaten outfit.

Dope Is Upset

The Wildcat triumph, combined with Alabama's 50-45 defeat by St. Louis, left many a wet eye in the Southeastern Conference. Alabama was figured as the one team with a chance to edge Kentucky out of league title. The St. Louis game wasn't a league encounter, but it proved Alabama a disappointment.

La Salle, the NCAA champion last year, now shows a 2-0 mark and should emerge the class of the East. The Explorers got past their first major test Sunday night when they thumped Loyola of New Orleans 85-71 with All-America Tom Gola dropping 23 points.

They have another dangerous foe on tap Saturday in Niagara. In fact, since Niagara dropped Fordham 71-65, it could emerge La Salle's main contender for Eastern honors.

Notre Dame Streak

On the subject of streaks, Notre Dame has a 17-game regular-season skein going. The Irish opened operations with a 72-61 triumph over Wisconsin. They play Northwestern, which should prove easy pickin's Wednesday, but must entertain Indiana Saturday.

The Hoosiers are the defending champions in the Big Ten and certainly will be no pushovers while big Don Schlundt is around. They opened their season by turning back Valparaiso 77-66. But the word is that Iowa should win the title this year, though. The Hawkeyes polished off Loyola of Chicago 89-79.

If the opening days of the season provide an indication of the future, this could develop into a wild and woolly year. Already a whole hand full of the big boys have been beaten. Michigan State, Minnesota, Western Kentucky, Washington State, Santa Clara, Kansas State, Bradley, Oklahoma, Missouri and Brigham Young have tasted defeat.

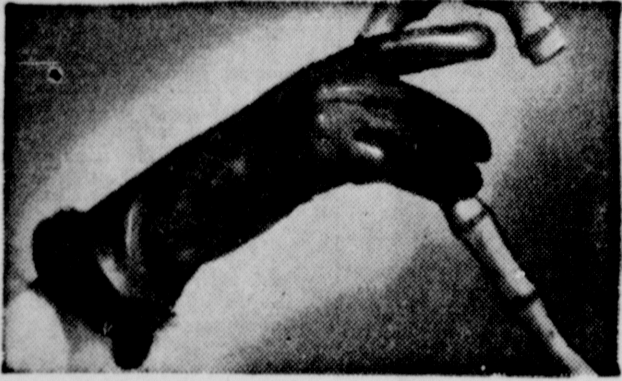
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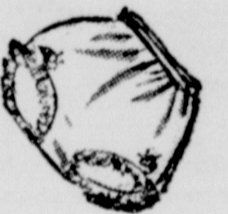
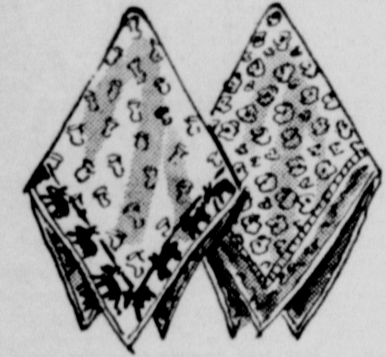
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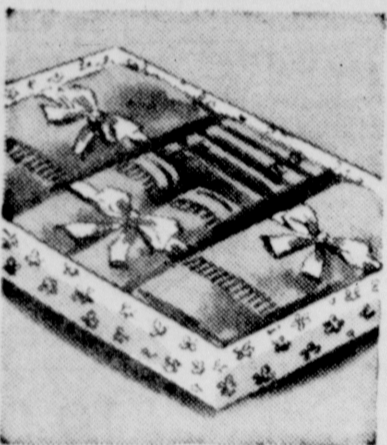
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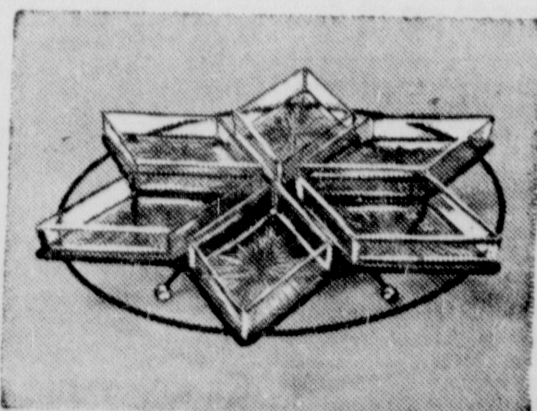
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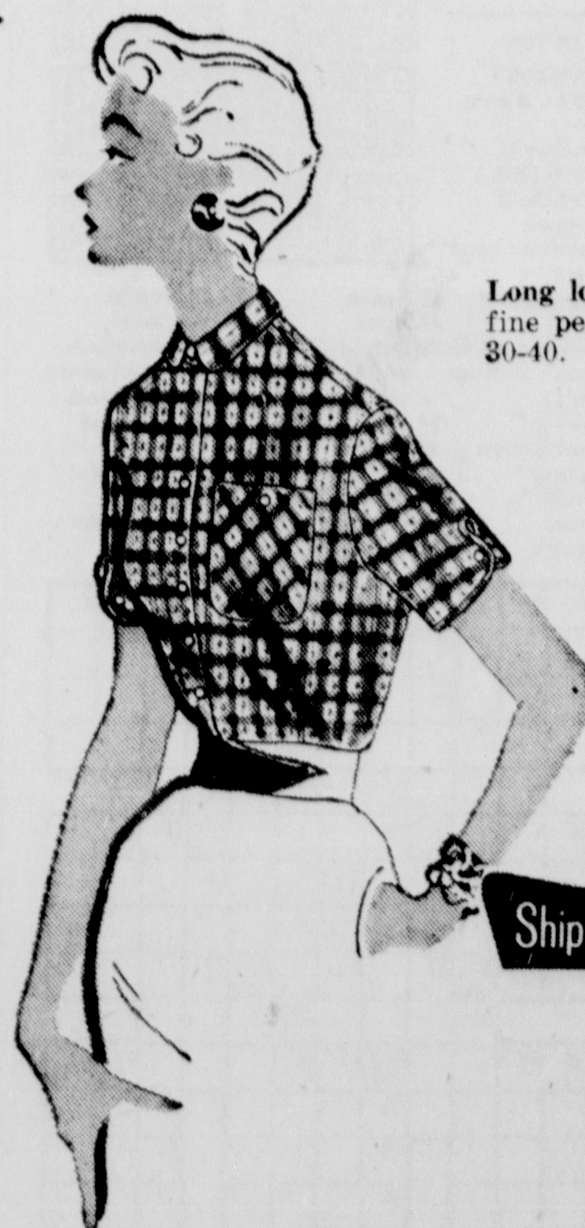
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